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By order.
A. ST. G. FLINT, Secretary.
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TENDERS.

Sealed tenders for certain alterations and additions to the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital will be received by the undersigned until 4 p.m., on Wednesday, the 18th inst., at whose office plans and specifications may be seen.

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NOTICE.

Quadra Street, between Chatham and North Park Streets, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT, City Engineer.
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Re Estate of Utrick Evens Dickinson, Deceased, Intestate.

As my Solicitor, Mr. S. Perry Mills, does not consider the authority sent me from England sufficient to raise money on the real property to pay liabilities of this Estate, I request the forbearance of the creditors until I receive further authority from England, which I expect within a month from this date.

Dated 11th November, 1896.

A. J. JOULE, Administrator of Estate of U. E. Dickinson, Deceased.
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By order of the Mortgagee.
J. ISAACS, Bailiff.
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New Advertisements continued on page eight.

I FEAR FOR MY SAFETY.

The Life of a Witness in the Ivory Case in Imminent Danger.

Roman Catholicism in the U. S.—Pacific Cable Commission—Mrs. Castle Seriously Ill.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—When Ivory's counsel, in the Bow Street police court today, asked Jones to give the initials of his name the witness refused, but the counsel insisted and also demanded to know the address of Jones in New York, whereupon the witness replied: "I fear for my safety and decline to give the particular location." The magistrate upheld Jones in his refusal, and then followed a dramatic incident. Counsel for the prisoner suddenly asked, "Did you take the oath of the Clan Na Gael?" Upon hearing this question Jones turned lividly pale, hesitated for a moment and then feebly answered "Yes." Ivory's counsel thereupon said, "You were intending at the time not to observe it?" To this question Jones replied, "Yes, I did not intend to observe it." Counsel thereupon said, "Have you any respect for the oath you have given here to-day?" "Yes," replied Jones in a weak voice.

This incident caused an impression upon all present in the court room.

Cardinal Satolli has presented to the Pope his report on religious factions in the United States. Although this document is destined not to be published, it is nevertheless perfectly well known what it contains. Cardinal Satolli makes a veritable accusation against Bishop Keane and the Catholic University of the United States at Washington. He accuses Bishop Keane of having in several public speeches uttered opinions which bordered on heresy, and says that to accord with Archbishop Ireland he endeavored to acclimatize a neocatholicism (New Catholicism) on American soil. Cardinal Satolli declares that the University at Washington had become the place where the most bold and risky theories were put forward. Fortunately, he says, the removal of Bishop Keane has cut short the evil at its root, but the bishop left behind dangerous disciples in the persons of numerous professors of this university, and the Cardinal advises the Pope to deprive them of their offices.

Before the Pacific cable conference yesterday Sandford Fleming, technical adviser of the commission, detailed the substance of his well-known reports on the subject, and answered a few questions regarding the statements made known. The cable commission decided to sit daily from 11 to 2 o'clock, and not to publish the names of the witnesses called for fear that pressure might be brought to bear upon them. Mr. Fleming will cross-examine all the technical witnesses at the next session of the commercial session, which will take place on Monday.

An Oporto dispatch to the Times says that, partly owing to the drop in Brazilian exchange, the premium on gold there has risen to over 40 per cent.

A dispatch to the Times from Rio Janeiro says the chamber of deputies, in passing the third reading of the revenue bill, adopted an amendment authorizing the collection of 60 per cent. of import duties in gold, and allowing a corresponding reduction in rates.

The committee appointed by the French chamber of deputies has reported in favor of the proposal of M. De Ville to substitute the Greenwich for the Paris meridian.

The Daily News says the government has decided to prosecute Sir Halladay Macartney, councillor of the Chinese legation in London, for his share in the arrest and detention of Sun Yat Yen, a Chinese doctor. The News adds that the British government has also resolved, under certain circumstances, to prosecute the Chinese officials implicated in the affair, unless the Chinese authority shall itself prosecute this official, as requested by the Marquis of Salisbury. Sir Halladay Macartney, when questioned on the subject yesterday, said he knew nothing about the government's decision in the case.

Since Mrs. Castle's release from Wormwood Scrubbs prison her condition has been so serious that the doctors now refuse her permission to sail for the United States at present. Bernard Abrams, of counsel for the Castles, referring to the surprise expressed in the United States that Mrs. Castle had been advised to plead guilty, said that it was generally felt in English legal circles in view of the change brought about by the law of 1883 the course adopted was right, and that the Home Secretary's release of Mrs. Castle is a complete vindication of the soundness of this action.

SIFTON ENDORSED.

Two Train Loads of Ogilvies' Flour for Australia.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 13.—The Brandon Liberal committee have reported favorably on the school terms of settlement as submitted to them by Attorney-General Sifton and endorsed Mr. Sifton as their candidate. He will leave for Ottawa shortly to be sworn in as Minister of the Interior.

The Ogilvies will shortly send two special train loads of flour from Winnipeg for Australia.

Dr. Garneau's CATARRHINA offers instant relief to persons suffering from catarrh, corysa, headache, toothache, etc. Dr. E. A. Poitevin, Professor of Descriptive Anatomy, Laval University, Montreal, certifies that he has employed it with great success and highly recommends it for the above diseases. x

The Semi-Weekly Colonist leads.

THOMAS M. JONES.

Irish Circles in New York Well Acquaintdd With the Sensational Witness.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—The news of the production of an informer in the Ivory case in London to-day created quite a sensation and was productive of considerable comment in Irish circles in this city. Diligent inquiries among prominent Irish Nationalists failed to establish the identity of more than one man named Jones who ever had any connection with Irish movements in this city. The man's name is Thomas M. Jones who was a member of the Shamrock club and also one of the secretaries of the American Association. Jones held several positions in this city, but some time ago he started in the stationery business at 62 Amsterdam avenue, where he lived. He was frequently heard of and claimed to be a very advanced man. In this city he was recognized as a North of Ireland Irishman, but as the alliance was nonsectarian in its principles, Jones' religion was no bar to his becoming a member. The last heard of him in this city was about ten weeks ago, when he left here telling his friends he was going to Ireland to secure some property which had been left to him through the death of a relative.

C. McNaughton, secretary of the National Alliance, when asked whether he knew Jones, replied: "I have known Thomas M. Jones for about three years. He was a member of the alliance and also of the association. I believe he was also a member of the Nally Club, which also belongs to the alliance, but I think the cabled report has confounded the National Alliance with the United Irishmen. The books of the Alliance are open to the public, and the English government can send its reprerentatives to examine them if it wishes to do so. The platform and principles of the Alliance, which were adopted at the Chicago convention last year, have been published, and there is no secrecy whatever in the organization. Jones frequently asked me to publish some articles which he had written for the Irish Republic, but they were too wild and I thought them idiotic in character. I threw his stuff into the waste basket, and I am sorry now I am not able to show a specimen.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

Wheat Reached Highest Point of Year, But Broke at the Close.

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—Wheat to-day touched the highest point of the year, the December option climbing to 81¾c. The statistical news decidedly favored the "bull" side of the market. Liverpool sent quotations from 1d. to 1½d. above those at the close of previous days. Paris and Berlin were higher. The receipts were 49 cars against 381 on the corresponding day of last year, and Minneapolis and Duluth reported 454 cars, compared with 1,005 a year ago. Notwithstanding this, the opening advance was slight, but the price soon struggled up to 81 5/8c. for December, but the heavy offerings which were the feature from the start caused a break to 81c. Then the strength of the situation began to make its impression and prices climbed steadily unward during the rest of the morning until 81¼c., the highest price of the year had been reached—high water mark. Among other features which helped to sustain the market were good export engagements at Duluth and New York amounting to 18 boatloads at both places. Reports from the Northwest said that farmers' deliveries had increased considerably owing to the improvement in the country roads and the higher prices. One prominent elevator company reported that its receipts were doubled yesterday. The Minneapolis market which for some time has led Chicago in the advance weakened to-day and encouraged the liquidation which gradually grew more as the season advanced. Prices had a sharp break during the last hour.

MORNING OF PROSPERITY.

General Alger Believes the U. S. Are Entering on an Era of Unprecedented Business Activity.

MONTREAL, Nov. 13.—General Russel Alger, of Michigan, is spending a few days in this city in connection with his extensive lumber interests in Canada. Being asked as to probable tariff policy of the incoming McKinley administration, all that he would say was that he hoped and believed it would be conservative and wise, and that such legislation would be enacted as would prevent a recurrence of past distressing conditions. Gen. Alger said he was satisfied that the people of the United States are in the morning of a day of prosperity, greater than had been known for many years, and he believed thoroughly that the policy of the incoming government would be along conciliatory lines towards Canada. "But of course," added the General, "the U.S., like all other nations, must enact such laws as will best serve the interests of its people and at the same time they must be just to other nations." So far as he was personally concerned General Alger said he had proven his faith in Canada by becoming largely interested in its manufacturing industries. In regard to the suggestion of his name in connection with a cabinet office General Alger said he must be excused from saying anything on that point.

W. H. Soule and A. E. Stevens, who formerly carried on the B. C. Pioneer Stevedoring Co., dissolved partnership on the 26th day of October last, and since the 29th of October A. E. Stevens has been carrying on business as stevedore under the old firm name. x

THE SCHOOL QUESTION.

Ministers Concur in the Settlement Effected by Hon. Mr. Tarte.

Tariff Commissioners Leave for the West—Commandant of the Military School.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 13.—A meeting of the cabinet was held this afternoon, the only absentees being Hon. Messrs. Tarte, Mulock, Borden and Dobell. It is stated that the terms of the Manitoba school settlement as revised by the provincial government in conjunction with Mr. Tarte, were under consideration and were accepted by the Dominion government as the best bargain that could be secured from Manitoba.

Speaking of the school settlement, a Quebec friend of the Premier said to-night that there had not been material change in the basis of the agreement as previously reported. Replying to a question as to how Quebec would take the compromise he replied: "That will be all right, permission to use the French language in teaching in the school districts where the children are not able to speak English is a sop to Quebec, which will go a long way towards making amends for the loss of separate schools."

The department of militia has been notified of the arrival in Canada of a further consignment of Lee-Enfield rifles, a portion of the 40,000 stand ordered last winter. The twelve-pounder guns for field batteries may be expected any day. Your correspondent learns that a number of modern guns, about 22 tons each, have been ordered for the Quebec fortifications.

Telegrams received from Winnipeg to-day confirm the announcement made by your correspondent last evening that the way is now clear for Mr. Sifton to enter the Dominion Cabinet. Mr. Sifton's Brandon friends are satisfied that the school settlement does not infringe upon provincial autonomy and therefore it will not be inconsistent with his stand on the school question for him to accept the portfolio of the interior. Mr. Sifton has consequently consented to contest Brandon. The writ for the election will not be issued until Mr. Sifton has been sworn in as minister, which takes place here next week.

Another matter which was under consideration to-day is the proposed work of the tariff commission. The ministers are to leave, as already stated, on Monday. Sir Oliver Mowat will accompany them to Ontario points.

At last the government has been officially notified of Col. Kitson's selection for the command of the military college.

NEWS OF THE DOMINION.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Little Girl Kidnapped.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Rena Coran, a four-year-old girl adopted by Mr. Geo. Currell, has been kidnapped.

Almost Burned to Death.

HOLLAND LANDING, Nov. 13.—John Grant, an old man who lived in a hole in a bank of earth and covered it with leaves and brush, was nearly burned to death by the brush catching fire, and was sent to Toronto for treatment, but is not expected to recover.

Halibut Schooner Lost.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Nov. 13.—The Gloucester halibut schooner Cordova went ashore at Trepassy yesterday with a catch of 6,000 pounds of halibut on board. The crew is safe, but the ship and cargo are a total loss.

With Her Cargo Shifted.

FAYAL, Azores, Nov. 13.—The British steamer Inchmarlo, Capt. Henebery, from New Orleans October 25 for Hull, has entered Fayal with her cargo shifted.

The Atlantic Flagship.

HALIFAX, Nov. 13.—The British cruiser Crescent, flagship of the North American squadron, has sailed from Halifax for Bermuda with the Vice-Admiral and Lady Erskine on board.

A Minister's Jubilee.

GUELPH, Nov. 13.—Rev. Dr. Torrance yesterday celebrated the jubilee of his entry on the work of the ministry. The celebration took place at Chalmers church, where a large congregation gathered.

Governor Chapleau Laid Up.

QUEBEC, Nov. 13.—Lieutenant-Governor Chapleau is laid up with an attack of rheumatism.

"Not Guilty" of Murder.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 12.—Robert Morran, charged with the murder of Hannah Hatton, at Holland, was to-day adjudged "not guilty." The jury were out four hours deliberating, and upon returning to court and delivering their verdict were greeted with loud applause. The judge's charge was strongly against the prisoner.

Blood is Life.

It is the medium which carries to every nerve, muscle, organ and fibre its nourishment and strength. If the blood is pure, rich and healthy you will be well; if impure, disease will soon overtake you. Hood's Sarsaparilla has power to keep you in health by making your blood rich and pure.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness. 25c.

If you once try Carter's Little Liver Pills for sick headache, biliousness or constipation, you will never be without them. They are purely vegetable, small and easy to take. Don't forget this.

Stub's Vegetable Blood Purifier—purely vegetable. x

THE CLAN-NA-GAEL.

Startling Revelations Regarding the Irish Movement in New York —Another Spy.

Testimony of a Man Who Believes His Life Is in Imminent Danger.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—During the examination to-day in the Bow street police court of Edward J. Ivory, alias Edward J. Bell, the Irish-American saloon-keeper of New York, the alleged dynamiter, there was an exciting feature for the first time in the dreary proceedings against the prisoner. A witness who gave the name of Jones was examined. When he appeared in the box Ivory's face showed consternation. Jones, it is understood, has for years been identified with the Clan-na-Gael and other Irish-American organizations. The prosecution expected Jones to unravel the secret of the story of the physical force movement.

Replying to the questions of C. F. Gill, who prosecuted for the treasury department, Jones said he was a native of Armagh. He was employed by the British government to make inquiries in 1891. He entered the employ of a wholesale grocery firm in New York and remained with them until 1895, when he opened a business of his own. Jones remained in New York until November of the present year. At this time he was apparently making inquiries for the British government. He said early in 1892 he met William Lyman, president of the Irish National Alliance, and Roland in New York, and learned of the existence of the Irish Nationalist organization, known among its members as the "United Irish" or "T.H.," whose executive body was known by the letters "D.A." On instructions he joined the organization and was initiated into a camp known as the Shamrock Club, among those present being Lyman, Bolan, Gallagher, Kearney and Tynan. They afterwards formed a new camp, which was called the Nally Club, the membership of which included Mearns and Nolan, who had been connected with an explosion at Dublin.

Jones further stated that he was elected treasurer of the Nally Club, whose meetings it appears were of the most secret description, "district orders" being burned after being read and after initiations members were known by numbers. Part of the subscriptions witness testified were contributed to the revolutionary fund, and calls were made for money to pay for the celebration of the deaths of the Manchester martyrs and to aid convicted dynamiters. Jones said that while on the way to the Chicago convention in 1895, Kearney introduced the prisoner Ivory to witness as "brother." Tynan and O'Donovan Rossa were present, and Tynan said Ivory belonged to his camp and had been known to him in Dublin before 1882. Jones mentioned the Chicago convention of 1895, and referred to the "New Movement Convention," which was attended by a number of confidants of Lyman, who, during the convention, it was stated in court, held a secret meeting with them. Later, it seems, Jones joined a camp under the name of "Thos. Meric Jones."

Continuing his account of his visit to Chicago, Jones said he arrived there Sept. 22, 1895, and was met at the railroad station by St. John Gaffney. He stayed at McCoy's hotel, where the committee on secret organization met. Ivory, Jones stated, attended the meeting at which names were chosen to be submitted to a public convention as officers of the "New Movement," the object being so that the open movement might be controlled as it is, according to Jones, by the secret organization. In another portion of his testimony Jones said that he saw Ivory in Cody's saloon, New York, which was largely frequented by members of the organization, two or three weeks before Ivory left America. Jones then produced a document purporting to give the constitution of the society in 1895, also type copies of the constitution and the ritual of the Clan-na-Gael. Jones said any one convicted of a dynamite outrage was described in the proceedings of the organization as a "Soldier of Ireland." Witness produced a mass of documents giving "camp" instructions, pass words, signs, etc. At the close of the proceedings Ivory was formally committed for trial.

The afternoon newspapers make great spreads of the evidence furnished by Jones and have scare heads, reading "Le Caron the Second," "Secrets of the Clan-na-Gael," "Startling Disclosures by an Irish Spy," etc. When Jones first appeared on the witness stand Mr. Gill asked the presiding magistrate to stop all sketching in court, explaining that it was of the utmost importance that nothing be allowed to transpire to identify the witness in future. Jones caused a sensation during the court proceedings by suddenly addressing the magistrate, saying, "A reporter is taking a sketch of me. I fear for my safety." Magistrate Vaughan ordered the reporter to desist. A prison attendant soon afterwards said to the magistrate: "A reporter is writing a description of Jones." The magistrate thereupon sternly remarked: "I will not allow even a written description of the witness to be made." Chief Inspector Melville of Scotland Yard took an active part in suppressing a description of Jones. After the close of the proceedings the jailer remarked to a representative of the Associated Press: "Jones is a dead man. I would not like to be in his shoes."

The Globe says most sensational developments are expected, eclipsing those of the time of Le Caron. Jones is an insignificant looking man, about five feet five inches in height, with brown beard and moustache and hair a shade darker. He has a bulging forehead and dark eyes. He has a pale complexion and a furtive, shifty look. He was very nervous while in court, constantly pulling his beard. He spoke with a pronounced brogue and delivered his testimony as though in fear of his life. He seemed to be scared at the sound of his own voice.

SAD COMPLAINTS.

Ladies Must Protect Themselves.

Several ladies have recently written to the manufacturers of Diamond Dyes complaining of having received very worthless dyes from certain dealers (whose names are known) instead of the Diamond Dyes that were asked for.

The manufacturers of Diamond Dyes, while they deplore this unwise and dishonest practice of *substituting*, cannot give any greater protection to the public than they are now affording in the way of warnings through the columns of the press.

All buyers of dyes who ask for the Diamond Dyes should look for the name on the outer envelope. If the name "Diamond" is not seen, rest assured you are being offered some miserable imitation.

Diamond Dyes are the only perfect dyes in the world for home dyeing. The best druggists and dealers sell them.

If sick headache is misery, what are Carter's Little Liver Pills if they will positively cure it? People who have used them speak frankly of their worth. They are small and easy to take.

MANITOBA SCHOOLS.

Minister Tarte Describes the Situation—Provincial Elections in Quebec—Tarte's Libel Suit Postponed.

MONTREAL, Nov. 13.—(Special)—Minister Tarte has written a letter to Le Cultivateur in which he states that with profound sorrow he saw that the French community of Manitoba is losing strength every day. There are fifty-one Catholic schools, he points out, now closed and the number of separate schools is thirty, almost equal to that of the schools which operate under the public school act. Of these thirty, it is no exaggeration to say, that half are in a grave state of inferiority. In other words more than half the young Catholic generation at this moment is deprived of education. The English population have magnificent schools and a complete system of education, and their children consequently are well fitted for the battle of life. He was confident that in the near future the Catholic and French population would walk side by side with other nationalities in the path of instruction and intellectual progress, and that the fifty schoolhouses closed to-day would receive under their roofs hundreds of children who now stagnate in ignorance.

Both parties are actively preparing for the provincial elections, which cannot be very far off.

A letter has been received from the secretary who accompanied Li Hung Chang on his recent tour through Canada, expressing on behalf of His Excellency entire satisfaction with the arrangements on board H.M.S. Empress of China while crossing the Pacific ocean, and thanking the officials for their thoughtful study of their comforts and their high abilities in fulfilling their manifold duties.

Rev. Canon Thorneloe, of Sherbrooke, announced his acceptance of the bishopric of Algoma at this morning's session of the synod. His consecration will take place either in Christ Church cathedral here, in Quebec, or in his own church at Sherbrooke.

Counsel for Grenier, indicted by the grand jury for criminally libelling Hon. Mr. Tarte, this morning renewed the application made a few days ago that a date be set for the trial, but this was denied. The request that a second panel of jurors be summoned, as the present one expires early next week, was also refused. There is no chance now of a trial taking place until March.

A GENERAL'S STORY.

HE RELATES THE NARROW ESCAPE OF HIS DAUGHTER.

Weakened and Run Down by the Oppressive Climate of India She Returned to England—When Her Father Followed He Found Her in a Serious Condition.

[From the Hampshire Independent.]

There is nothing more interesting than the talk of our brave defenders, who have served their Queen and country in far distant lands. To talk with an Indian officer, hearing his reminiscences and adventures, is what those who have enjoyed it always appreciate. Consequently (writes a special reporter of the Hampshire Independent) I was delighted to receive instructions to interview Lieutenant General Shaw, who has won his spurs in India, and is now living, with his family in honorable retirement, at St. Paul's Vicarage, Shanklin, Isle of Wight. I had grasped the bell-pull and given it one tug when the door opened, and the general stood before me. You knew he was a soldier at once. His manly, upright bearing his smile, his pleasant voice—all told you



LIEUTENANT GENERAL SHAW.

that you stood in the presence of one of Nature's gentlemen; but, alas! he held a time-table and I felt that the interview must needs be short. However, he ushered me in and at once put me at my ease by his affable conversation.

"I am afraid," he said, "that you have come a long distance; but let me know the precise object of your visit."

I explained to the General that I was most anxious, with his consent, to obtain some personal explanation as to the narrow escape I had heard one of his daughters had recently experienced.

At that he brightened visibly. "You must know," he said, "I'm just a bit of an enthusiast on this point; but the tale is very short. My daughter came home from India, and when I joined her in London I found her ill in bed. She had rheumatic and neuralgic pains; she was perfectly bloodless, listless, and in a generally weak and prostrate condition. A doctor was seen, but she remained absolutely colorless, was in great wretchedness and suffering from anæmia or bloodlessness. She had a kind of fever, nervous headache, and other pains. Well, I heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. My daughter took some, and the first box had a marvellous effect. She regained her color, lost her pains, and became altogether different. She had quite a glow upon her. She went on taking the pills, and I am glad to tell you that she recovered completely. I have recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to all with whom I came in contact, and all who take them derive great benefit therefrom.

"I have a sister at Jersey, and she has taken them for a very long time, and has always recommended them to other people, and found them to do a great deal of good to all to whom she has recommended them; and I, myself, when I have heard of people being ill, have taken them or sent them some of these pills."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills directly enrich and purify the blood, and thus it is that they are so famous for the cure of anæmia, rheumatism, scrofula, chronic erysipelas, and restore pale and sallow complexions to the glow of health. They are also a splendid nerve and spinal tonic, and have cured many cases of paralysis, locomotor ataxia, neuralgia, St. Vitus' dance, and nervous headache. A specific for all the troubles of the female, and in men cure all cases arising from worry, overwork, or indiscretions of living.

Big ads. are needed to boom bad medicines. Manley's Celery-Nerve Compound has merit alone to commend it.

Dear Sirs: I cannot praise Manley's Celery-Nerve Compound too highly, and I think its tonic and restorative qualities cannot be surpassed. I was feeling poorly for some time through overwork and before I had taken one bottle of your medicine, I felt completely better. Yours truly,
247 Yonge St., Toronto. K. McNabb.

STOCK MINING BROKERS.

The SILVER BELL.

Promises to be one of the BIG MINES OF THE ROSSLAND DISTRICT. The Ore Chute is three feet wide and the Ledge twenty. The last assays gave a value of

$103.14.

Ore is being taken out for shipment. A large force of men are at work on the mine, and will continue all winter. The first block of treasury stock put on the market at 5 cents per share is nearly all taken, and on November 12 the price will be advanced to 7c. Victoria people can obtain shares of

BEAUMONT BOGGS,

OPPOSITE DRIARD

no7-1m

MINE OWNERS, MINING BROKERS, MINING OPERATORS, COMPANY PROMOTERS.

STOCKS AND SHARES BOUGHT AND SOLD.

Development Work on Prospects Undertaken for an Interest.

THE BRITISH-CANADIAN

GOLD FIELDS

Exploration, Development & Investment Co., Ld.

(Incorporated with a capital of $2,500,000.)

HERBERT CUTHBERT, Western Manager, 44 Fort St., Victoria.

133 Yongestreet, Toronto; Traders' Bank Bdg, Spokane, also at Rossland and London, Eng.

NOTICE.

I am authorized by the Directors of the

BRITISH-CANADIAN

GOLD FIELDS

Exploration, Development & Investment Co., Ld.

To announce that on and after November 16th the stock in the above Company will be raised to 15 cents per share.

The Company will carry on business in Victoria from their new offices, 44 Fort street, after to-morrow (Monday).

HERBERT CUTHBERT, Western Manager.

no8

MINING SHARES FOR SALE.

Butte	5
Consolidated Alberni	39
Cariboo of Camp McKinney	47
Cariboo and Williams Creek, Cariboo	10
Celtic Queen	7
Deer Park, 18; Delhi	12½
Eric, 10; Enterprise	20
Eureka Consolidated	10½
Evening Star	24
Good Hope, 6; Grand Prize	7
Iron Mask 65; Iron Queen	3
Josie, 500 at 60, 350 at 62, 500 at	64
Mayflower, 15; Mugwump	16
Monte Cristo	18
Mineral Creek, Alberni	6
Nest Egg (in 100 parcels)	11
Norway (near the O K)	5
Quadra, Alberni	10
War Eagle	$1 65

A. W. MORE & CO., Mining Brokers, 70 Douglas Street.

"ALHAMBRA MINE"

Situated 1½ Miles from Silver King (Hall Mines, Ld.)

Alhambra stock will advance shortly. All money received from sale of stock goes into development work, under careful and competent management. Night and day shifts constantly employed. Only a few shares of first issue left. Be advised in time.

John A. Wilson & Co.,

No. 48 Langley Street, Sole Agents for Victoria.

Special Quotations—1000 Josie, 61c; 250 Great Western, 18c; 2000 Butte, 5c; 500 Grand Prize, 5c; 5000 Iron Queen, 2c; 1000 Wonderful, 11c; 1000 Phoenix, 9c; 2000 Iron Musk, 65c; 2000 Caledonia Con., 12c; 2000 War Eagle, $1.62; 5000 Monte Cristo, 17c.

A. T. MONTEITH,

MINING BROKER,

Stocks Bought and Sold on Commission. ROSSLAND, B. C.

no3-1m

Silver Band Mining Co

LIMITED LIABILITY.

Trustees—E. B. Marvin, J. G. Cox, C. J. Kelly, J. L. Forrester, F. W. Adams, F. F. Hedges, E. Foyle Smith.
Solicitors—Drake, Jackson & Helmcken.
Secretary-Treasurer—F. F. Hedges.

Capital, $250,000.00, in one million shares of 25 cents each.

Shares issued at par value, therefore investors know that further calls cannot be made.

All shares pooled until Development Stock is sold.

Mine situated near Slocan Lake, eight miles from Silverton.

Shares can be obtained from

L. C. BARFF,

32 Langley Street, Victoria, B.C. Mining Broker.

no7-1m

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ACETIC ACID MANUFACTURERS.
BEST GOODS—The Canada Paint Co. Ltd.

BAKERS AND CONFECTIONERS.
M. R. SMITH & CO., Victoria, B. C., Manufacturers of all kinds of Plain and Fancy Biscuits and Cakes.
HOT PORK AND MUTTON PIES daily at Henry Clay's, No. 39 Fort street.
NEW ENGLAND—M. & L. Young, props.
H. A. LILLEY, City Candy Factory. Ice cream and soda. 105 Douglas St.
TRY Kippen & Botsford's Edinb'gh brown bread.

BICYCLE REPAIRING.
HUTCHINGS & GILBERT—36 Fort street.

BOOTS AND SHOES.
TRY OUR MEN'S WILD-BOAR BOOTS at $3.50. James Maynard, opposite City Hall.
R. GILL—Soling, 75c.; heeling, 25c. and up, for repairing. 42 Government street.

BOOK EXCHANGE.
CASHMORE'S, 99 Douglas street; buy and exchange all kinds of books and novels.

BLACKSMITH.
JOHN COOK—Horse-shoer, 103 Yates street; all work guaranteed.

CARRIAGE BUILDERS.
W. MABLE, carriage builder and trimmer. Johnson street.

CIGAR MANUFACTURERS.
KURTZ & CO., Pioneer White Labor Cigar Factory, 7 Trounce avenue.

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SINCLAIR & CO., 3 and 5 Store street.

COLOR MAN'F'RING—DRY AND OIL.
GOODS GUARANTEED—Canada Paint Co. Ltd.

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COMPLETE STOCK AT FOX'S, 78 Government St. Grinding and sharpening a specialty.

DRUGGISTS, CHEMISTS, ETC.
GEO. MORISON & CO., Toilet Articles. 55 Gov't St. Prescriptions accurately prepared.
TAKE your prescriptions and recipes to Shotbolt, the Pioneer Druggist, Johnson street.
CENTRAL DRUG STORE—Hall & Co., Props. Chemicals, etc., cor. Yates and Douglas Sts.

DEALERS IN TEAS, COFEES & COCOAS.
VICTORIA TEA HOUSE, 79 Government St. Fine teas, coffees and cocoas.

ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES, ETC.
GEO. C. HINTON, supplies and fixtures; complete stock. 36 Government street.
VICTORIA ELECTRICAL WORKS—36 Fort St.

FANCY GOODS, DOLLS AND TOYS.
LATEST NOVELTIES in above arriving every week; see them. W. Wilby, 91 Douglas St.
JAPANESE STORE, on Douglas street—New goods just arrived.

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F. JEUNE & BRO.—Tents for hire. 127 Gov. St.

FURNITURE.
B. C. FURNITURE CO.—Bedroom and parlor suites, carpets etc.; popular price for cash.
WEILER BROS.—Furniture, carpets, crockery, etc. Largest stock in the Province.

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD.
DUCK & CO.'S Furniture Mart, 58 Broad street.

FOUNDERS AND BOILERMAKERS.
ALBION Iron-works; also manuf. of stoves.
SPRATT & GRAY, iron founders and engineers.

FIRE ARMS, AMM. & FISHING TACKLE.
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FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND EMBALMERS
CHAS. HAYWARD, 52 Government street.

FUNERAL DIRECTOR.
THOMAS STOREY—Residence 104 Fisguard; office 90 Johnson; pioneer; estab. 20 years.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.
WATSON & HALL, 55 Yates street; telephone 448. Orders called for; goods delivered.
FRED CARNE, JR.—Tel. 586, cor. Yates & Broad
GEO. G. MUNRO—8 bars Electric soap for 25c. 89 Government street, opposite Post Office.
FELL & CO., family grocers and provisions, corner Broad and Fort streets.

GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHINGS.
GOOD VALUE — LATEST STYLES — LOW prices. B. Williams & Co., 97 Johnson street.

HOUSE AND SIGN PAINTERS.
R. LETTICE — Paints, oils, varnishes, etc. Window glass and wall paper.

HARDWARE.
GO to SHORES hardware, for sporting goods; bicycles at cost.
E. G. PRIOR & CO.—Hardware and Agricultural Implements. Cor. Johnson and Gov't.

HOTELS.
OCCIDENTAL—$1 to $1.50 per day. Under management of Walter Porter.
DOMINION—Popular prices; all comforts of higher price hotels. Free 'bus; meals 25 cts.
QUEEN'S—Am. and Europ. plan, cor. Store and Johnson Sts. J. C. Voss, Prop
BRUNSWICK—Temperance hotel, Douglas st.
NEW ENGLAND—M. & L. Young, props.

INSURANCE—LIFE, FIRE, ACCIDENT.
R. S. DAY—Guarantee Insurance, 42 Fort street.
LEE & FRASER—Canadian Mortgage, Loan & Insurance Co. of Toronto. 11 Trounce ave.
SUN LIFE ASS'N—Harman & Co., 44 Broad St.
A. W. MORE & CO., 70 Douglas street.

HORSE-SHOEING.
W. C. BRYANT—92 Douglas street.

JEWELLERS.
REDFERN, 43 Government street, for English hall marked sterling silverware.
W. H. PENNOCK—Repairing, 61 Yates street.
MARINE Chronometer Adjuster. S. A. Stoddart, 68 and 68½ Yates street.

JAPAN COLORS.
FOR Carriage Builders—Canada Paint Co. Ltd.

LOCKSMITHS.
KEY FITTING in any part of the city; lock repairing; full stock keys, etc. 55 Fort street.

LIVERY AND TRANSFERS.
VICTORIA TRANS. CO., 21 Broughton st.—Largest stock of horses, carriages, etc., for hire.
VICTORIA TRUCK & DRAY CO—Telephone 13.
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FOR CANNERIES—Canada Paint Co.

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A. W. MORE & CO., 70 Douglas street.
BEAUMONT BOGGS—Opposite Driard—A B.C. code; quotations on application.

MONUMENTAL AND MARBLE WORKS.
A. STEWART—Stone yard, corner Yates and Blanchard streets, P.O. Box 877.

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FLETCHER BROS., Agents for Pianos, Organs and Musical Instruments. 88 Govern't St

MATTRESS AND LOUNGE UPHOLSTERER
UPHOLSTERING, Mattress and Lounge Repairing at lowest figures. 146 Yates street.

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McKILLICAN & ANDERSON.—Mantels, grates, and tiles. Cor. Langley and Courtney Sts.

MERCHANT TAILORS.
ATTENTION—Largest importers of woollens in province. Thomas Bros. & Grant, next P.O.
T. W. WALKER, Practical Tailor, 22 Trounce av.

MANUFACTURING JEWELERS.
E. F. ROBINSON—Diamond setter. First-class work; reasonable prices. 37 Fort street.

NOVELTIES.
114 YATES ST.—G. & W. Barber Bros.—"Gem" raisin seed r, "Chicago" water filter, etc.
ALLUMINUM—Mason's Book Ex., 46 Gov't St.

OIL STAINS AND ENAMELS.
BEST MADE—Canada Paint Co. Ltd.

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CHARLEY & CO.—Best work. 146 Gov't St.

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B.C. POTTERY CO.—Drain tiles, paving bricks, stove linings, chimney tops, flower pots.

PLATE GLASS.
WE CARRY LARGEST STOCK of Plate Glass west of Ontario. J. W. Mellor, 76-78 Fort St.
R. LETTICE, dealer in paints, oils, varnish and window glass; agent for Brilliant Sign Letter Co., and Aspenall's Enamel. No. 40 Fort street. mr17

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A. SEARS, 114 Yates street.

PLUMBING AND HEATING.
R. J. NOTT, 50 Yates St.
A. BARKER—All kinds of jobbing; 122 Yates St

PHOTOGRAPHERS.
PRESTON'S ART STUDIO, 56 Fort street.
TAKE YOUR BABIES TO EYERS, 76 Yates St. for instantaneous photos.
MAYNARD'S ART STUDIO, No. 41 Pandora street, dealers in all kinds of photographic material; views of British Columbia and Alaska.
Same Block—Maynard's Shoe and Finding Store 41 Pandora street; boots, shoes, leather and shoe findings; "K" boots a specialty fel

PROPRIETORY REMEDIES.
BRITISH COLUMBIA VIAVI CO., Rooms 41 to 42, Five Sisters Block.

REAL ESTATE & FINANCIAL AGENTS.
FLINT & PROSSER, mining brokers and insurance agents. P.O. box 468. 18 Broad street.
A. W. JONES & BRIDGMAN, Agents Can. Life, Phœnix and Caledonian Insurance Co.'s.
SNAPS—For sale—Small house and lot, price $300; small house with large corner lot, good garden, $850; good house and lot (Rock Bay) assessed for $1500, price $875. 101 Yates St.
BEN WILLIAMS—Plate glass, accident and fire insurance, 46 Fort street; P.O. Drawer 66.
A. W. MORE & CO., 70 Douglas street.

READY MIXED PAINT MANUFACTUERS.
BRANDS ESTABLISHED—Canada Paint Co.

RUBBER STAMP MANUFACTURERS.
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RESTAURANT.
GLOBE—Meals 25c. up. 42 Yates St. Mrs. White.
POODLE DOG—Popular prices; always open. W. Croft, Prop 49 Yates street.

SEAL ENGRAVING AND EMBOSSING.
W. H. PHILIPPS, 39½ Douglas, south of Fort St.

SADDLE AND HARNESS MAKERS.
WM. DUNCAN, 92 Douglas street. Trunks and valises. Repairing promptly done.

STEAM DYE WORKS.
PROVINCIAL—Practical Dyers, Fort street.
SPECIALTIES—For the wet season at Paisley Steam Dye Works, established 1885. Gents' overcoats made water proof from 50c. to 75c; ladies capes and cloaks from 25c. to 50c.; mackintoshes cleaned, dyed and repaired; feathers cleaned, dyed and made over in all the latest styles. J. Allison, proprietor, 116 Yates street.
BRITISH COLUMBIA—Tel. 200—Largest estab.; country orders solicited. 141 Yates street.
60 DAY CHEAP RATES, at Pioneer Dye House.

SOAP MANUFACTURERS.
PENDRAY—Laundry soaps and extracts, salsoda, blueing, stove polish, vinegar, etc.

STEAM COFFEE AND SPICE MILLS.
STEMLER & EARL, Coffee, spices, mustard and baking powders Pembroke St. near Gov't.

SAW AND PLANING MILLS.
TAYLOR MILL CO.—Lumber, sashes and doors

SEWING MACHINES.
SINGER MANUFACTURING CO., 38 Broad st. All kinds of needles and repairing.

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TINSMITHS.
LEWIS LEWIS—All kinds of jobbing done. A complete line of tinware. 46 Yates street
CLARKE & PEARSON, sole agents McClary's famous stoves. Tinware M'f'g., 17 Yates St.

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S. F. TOLMIE, Grad. Ont. Vet. Coll. Office 109 Johnson St.; tel. 182. Residence tel. 417.

VINEGAR, PICKLES, SAUCE, ETC.
IMPERIAL Vin. & Ext. Co., Phillips mgr., 115 Fort

VARNISH MANUFACTURERS.
RELIABLE GOODS—Canada Paint Co. Ltd.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL BUTCHERS.
L. GOODACRE, Contractor by app't to Royal Navy and Dominion Government. Tel. 32.
THE BRITISH COLUMBIA MARKET CO., Ld., Gov't and Yates Sts., Butchers and Packers; wholesale and retail dealers in fresh, salted and smoked meats, lard, etc.; branch, Vane'r.

WHITE LABOR STEAM LAUNDRY.
VICTORIA LAUNDRY, 152 Yates St. Tel. 172.

WOOD AND COAL.
COAL, $6; cordw'd, $3.50. Harman & Co., 41 Broad.
H. WARREN—6 Trounce avenue; Wellington coal; fir, oak and stove wood cut to order.

WHITE LEAD AND PUTTY MAN'F'RING.
OUR OWN MAKE—Canada Paint Co. Ltd.

GEORGE THOMPSON,

Late 34th Regiment, and in possession of the Mutiny Medal and Clasp for Lucknow, will be pleased to polish gentlemen's boots; honorarium, 10 cents. Campbell's Corner. oc18

J. HEANEY, Truck and Drayman, office 26 Yates street; Telephone 171; Residence 129 Superior street. mr

Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTS.

WANTED—A good home for a thoroughbred fox terrier slut. Apply C.H., Colonist office. no13 2t

WANTED—Attractive, sensible waitresses to serve drinks in music room in hotel; good pay or percentage. Apply Grotto Hotel, Vancouver, B.C. no13-9t

WANTED—A position by Japanese boy to do cooking or housework. Japanese Mission, 126 Yates street. no12-3t

WANTED—A girl about 14 years old to assist in light housework in a small family. Apply in the forenoon at 132 Blanchard avenue. no12-6t

BOOKKEEPER wants employment, either permanent or for small business houses; at reasonable figure. Reply H.E., Colonist. no11-1t

SALESMEN WANTED in every district to handle reliable goods; samples free; salary and expenses paid from start for full time; permanent employment For particulars write LUKE BROS. CO., Montreal. Se2-3m

ACCORDING TO AGENTS' REPORTS, "Queen Victoria; Her Life and Reign," introduction by Lord Dufferin, will reach high water mark of circulation; one agent reported twenty-nine orders the day after he got his prospectus, many take orders from three-fourths of calls made; we need canvassers for Canada and Australia; prospectus free on deposit of $1 as guarantee; if you want a share in this gold mine hustle, for territory is going fast. The Bradley-Garretson Co., Ltd., Toronto. au27

TO LET OR LEASE.

A FARM to rent 3 miles out; reasonable terms. Address E.P., this office. oc24-6t

FURNISHED house to rent, 4 Battery street, Beacon Hill Park; 8 rooms, with lawn, flowers, etc.; small stable; rent very reasonable. Call at any time after 10 a.m. oc21-tf

TO RENT—Furnished residence with over an acre of orchard and garden, on Pemberton street, Cadboro Bay road; low rent to a suitable tenant. Apply to Wm. Wilson, 83 Government street. oc16-tf

COMFORTABLE room near Post Office offered to a gentleman; small family; no children; terms very easy. Apply A., Colonist office. oc14-1m

FOR RENT—Large front room, suitable for two; every convenience; breakfast if desired. Apply 5 Queen's avenue, near Government street. de24-tf

FOR SALE.

KIRKMAN PIANO of fine tone and in thoroughly good condition for sale at $200; cost $400; owner leaving for England. May be seen at Weiler Bros., Fort street. no12 3t

FOR SALE—100 acres of land 13 miles from Victoria. Address Mrs. G. Cole, Metchosin. oc14-1m

FOR SALE—Best household Coal and Wood at market prices. Apply Flint & Prosser.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE—Any ice coupons in hands of purchasers will be redeemed by the B.C. Cold Storage and Ice Works at their office any time before 16th of November. no8-6t

F. ELWORTHY—Balance-sheets prepared, accounts audited, general agencies taken. Office, Board of Trade Building. au30 tf

MONEY TO LOAN by The Dominion Building and Loan Association, on Victoria real estate, repayable in easy monthly payments extending from 5½ to 12 years. A. W. More & Co., mortgage brokers, 70 Douglas street.

LOST OR FOUND.

LOST, stolen or strayed, from Mrs. Dunsmuir's on Wednesday noon, two collie dogs. Anyone returning to above address will be suitably rewarded. Anyone harboring same after this date will be prosecuted. no13-tf

LOST—Anyone detaining brown spaniel bitch after this date will be prosecuted. no 0

DRESSMAKING.

DRESS AND MANTLE MAKING.
132 VANCOUVER STREET.
MRS. MARSHALL
Is prepared to guarantee the Ladies of Victoria the very letest styles and most perfectly fitting garments. del-tf

MUSICAL.

PIANOFORTE TUNING.
MR. A. F. OWEN,
Pianoforte Tuner, from J. & J. Hopkinson's, the well-known manufacturers of pianofortes, London, England; 12 years experience. Particulars as to my ability may be had from the above firm; 3½ years with Goodwin & Co., Victoria. Orders left at Hibben's Bookstore. fe5

American Waterbury Nickel Alarm Clocks $1.00
Ansonia Alarm ..... 90c.
(Guaranteed two years.)
German Alarm Clocks ..... 70c.

S. A. STODDART,

The New Watchmaker and Jeweller,

68½ YATES STREET,

Cleans Watches thoroughly for 75c
New Main Spring, 75c.
Balance and Pallet Staffs, $1.25.
And guarantees all work for 12 months.
Practical experience of over 25 years. ap4

HORSEFLY GOLD MINING COMPANY.

Location of Principal Place of Business, San Francisco, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors held on the 4th day of November, 1896, an assessment of twenty-five (25) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin to the Secretary, at the office of the Company, 610 Clay street, San Francisco, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the twenty-first (21st) day of December, 1896, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and, unless payment is made before, will be sold on the twentieth (20th) day of January, 1897, at 2 o'clock p.m., to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

R. T. WARD, Secretary.
FRED. H. BEAVER, Sec. Pro Tem.
Office: 610 Clay street, San Francisco, Cal.
no12-1m

Cumberland & Union Waterworks Co.,

LIMITED LIABILITY.

The stock books of this Company will be open for subscription until the 30th day of November, instant, inclusive. For particulars apply to FRANK B. SMITH, Secretary.
Union, B.C., 5th November, 1896. no10

THE NEST EGG MINING COMPANY, LIMITED LIABILITY.

Notice is hereby given that a special general meeting of the shareholders of the above Company will be held at the head office, at Victoria, B.C., on Monday, December 7th, 1896, at 3:30 p.m., for the purpose of considering the advisability of disposing of the whole of the assets.

By order.
W. H. ELLIS, Secretary-Treasurer.
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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the E. & N. Railway bridge will be closed to public traffic on and after Saturday, 3rd inst., at 10 p.m.

JOSEPH HUNTER, Gen. Supt.
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RAILWAY ENTERPRISE.

Hon. Mr. Tarte's Movements—Vancouver Assizes—Customs Changes at Westminster.

The Nest Egg Will Have Its Own Compressor Plant—Mining Notes.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Nov. 13.—The banquet to Hon. Mr. Tarte will take place in the Hotel Vancouver on Tuesday evening. The minister is expected to arrive on Monday from New Westminster and will be presented with addresses by the City Council, Board of Trade, Liberal Association and other public bodies. An informal reception will be held the same day but no arrangements have yet been made for a public meeting, nor is it definitely known when the party will go to Victoria.

A letter received from ex-Alderman Gavin by Mr. T. Mathews, his agent here, dated Capetown, October 10, would appear to prove that the rumors of his death are false. Mr. Gavin says that the recent Matabele rising has unsettled business very much, and he thinks it will be some time before the country resumes its normal condition. The statements that Mr. Gavin had succumbed to South African fever are apparently without foundation.

The ships lying at Hastings mill were all gaily decorated with bunting yesterday occasioning a good deal of wonder amongst those who noticed the display and were not cognizant of the occasion. Mr. H. J. Newton, cashier of the Hasting Mills Co., was married in the morning to Mrs. H. M. Watmough, late of the city hospital, at St. James church, by Rev. H. G. Fiennes-Clinton. The ceremony was a quiet one, only a few intimate friends being present. Among the wedding gifts was a solid silver tea service from the employes of the mill.

Passengers on the incoming train yesterday report snow falling heavily at North Bend as they came through.

There is a scarcity of workmen at Quesnelle in Cariboo, and Mr. J. J. Nickson, of the Golden River Co., Ltd., has written to Mayor Collins stating that he can give employment to 100 men all winter, as the company's works will be continued until March. The wages offered are $2.50 per day for earth men and $3 for good timber men, board costing $7 per week.

The constitutionality of the Small Debts court having been established, Police Magistrate Russell holds a Small Debts court every morning at 10:30.

Among the passengers for the Slocan yesterday was Dr. Bell-Irving, who goes up on business connected with some of the enterprises with which he is connected.

The survey of the line from Hope to Ladner's will be proceeded with in a few days by the party who are now in the mountains on behalf of the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern railway. The survey will be pushed on to completion with all possible speed.

A trainload of Fraser river salmon was dispatched over the G. N. railway yesterday for Eastern cities.

Mr. A. M. Bullock, an insurance agent charged with doing business in the city without having deposited with the department the sum required by law, law, was yesterday fined $20, and paid the fine under protest. Apropos of this case the following quotation from the Insurance and Financial Chronicle of Montreal will be read with interest: "The Citizens' Fire Insurance Co., of Columbia, S.C., has collapsed. Its motto was "accept everything and pay nothing." Its policies were offered by Mr. Frank W. Anthony, of Brooklyn, whose circulars soliciting business have been sent to agents in Canada. The secretary will be prosecuted, as not a few others ought to be who have offered wild-cat insurance in Canada." It is believed policies in this company have been accepted here, but not having complied with the law affecting all insurance companies it had no right to do any business at all.

Mr. F. R. Stewart yesterday picked up a piece of ore from the Two Friends, Slocan, mine in Mr. C. T. Dunbar's office, and as he was a student in the Manchester Mining School, he assayed it himself for practice. It ran 458 ounces silver and 7 per cent lead. This is among the richest samples of silver ore ever seen here.

A large cash offer was made yesterday and refused by H. P. McCraney, manager of the Big Chief Co., Rossland.

Yesterday Golden Cache changed hands at $1.50, 5,000 shares being bought for San Francisco parties at that figure. The first transfer this morning was at $1.55.

It was hoped that Mr. Thomas B. Reed, speaker of the United States congress, who returns East over the C.P.R., would have passed through Vancouver, some curiosity being evinced to see a man who has taken so prominent a part in the recent election in the States, and who has been before the public in his official capacity for so many years. Mr. Reed's private car, however, was hooked on to the Atlantic express at Mission junction.

Mr. C. C. Eldridge, of the late firm of Major & Eldridge, is again in business, having re-opened the retail department of the firm on Water street. The expressions of gratification that Mr. Eldridge has made another start and wishes for his success are universal.

The trial of Charteris, accused of arson, occupied the attention of Mr. Justice Drake and a jury yesterday at the assizes. The prosecution failed to connect the prisoner with the undoubted incendiarism and he was discharged. To-day the Sheehan-McKenzie murder case was before the court, Sheehan being acquitted, the revolver having been discharged during the scuffle. William Robertson, who pleaded guilty to burglarizing the Standard Oil Company's office, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment. Cassidy, for house breaking, was sentenced to four months' imprisonment.

The department of mining in the public library has been considerably enriched by the addition of quite a number of books on mineralogy and kindred subjects.

WESTMINSTER

WESTMINSTER, Nov. 13. — Customs changes are spoken of here. Mr. Peter Grant is likely to be appointed collector and Mr. J. S. Clute will devote his time entirely to the duties of inspector.

Rev. H. H. Gowan has received a call from Bishop Barker to take charge of Trinity parish, Seattle. Mr. Gowan will decide by Wednesday next.

Messrs. Layfield & Salt, of this city, will build the new machine works for Mr. John Peck's foundry.

The remains of Mr. Nathan Woodward were brought from Woodward's Slough yesterday. The interment took place at Odd Fellows' cemetery, Sapperton.

Hon. Mr. Tarte and party made a trip up the Fraser to-day with Mr. Coste, C.E., with a view of seeing for himself what are needed as permanent improvements. Addresses were presented by the corporations and Liberal associations en route. Hon. Mr. Tarte said the government would inaugurate a generous policy in regard to British Columbia. The party left Chilliwack this afternoon for New Westminster. To-morrow, Saturday, the North and South Arms and the Sandheads will be inspected.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Nov. 13.—At a conference between a committee of the municipal council, and a committee of the board of trade, it was arranged that the city council would meet Hon. Mr. Tarte, Minister of Public Works, on his arrival, present him with a civic address, and entertain him at the Hotel Wilson. After this the board of trade will present an address to the minister. It is expected that Mr. Tarte will reach Nanaimo about Wednesday.

Arrangements have been completed for the production of "The Pirates of Penzance" by the Nanaimo Operatic Society, at Wellington on Thursday, the 19th, and at Duncan on the 20th. A special train has been chartered to go to Duncan, to leave Nanaimo at 5 o'clock and Duncan as soon after the show as the Nanaimo contingent care to come home. The performance is under the auspices of Maple Leaf lodge No. 15, K. of P., and the lodge is giving a dance and supper in the hall after the performance, to which all present are invited. The regular price of a special train is $75, and the E. & N. Railway Company have generously intimated that they will give the $75 as a special donation to the Nanaimo hospital. The proceeds of the Duncans entertainment will also be donated by the K. of P. to the Nanaimo hospital.

ROSSLAND.

[From the Rosslander.]

The excellent showing on the Iron Colt continues and local members of the company are elated with the prospects.

It seems as if Salmon river, especially the North Fork of it, will be a busy camp throughout the winter months.

Cross-cutting continues from the bottom of the 32-foot shaft on the Phœnix, where a vein running from 18 inches to two feet is being followed. Samples brought in from time to time were put together for assay on Monday and $34 in value obtained.

The tunnel on the High Ore, adjoining the Jumbo, is in about 100 feet, and work is carried on steadily in it. This tunnel is expected to crosscut the ledge when run about 200 feet, and then at a depth of 150 feet. Already small stringers of ore have been met. High Ore has a very wide surface showing, and so far as indications go has the Jumbo lead.

Two samples taken from the Silver Bell by a representative of the Rosslander, gave a value upon assay of $72.47 and $41.16 to the ton, chiefly in silver, but with gold, lead and copper as well. It is evident that the output from this time on will meet the cost of development work.

The proposition was canvassed to some extent among owners of mines to the south of Rossland to erect a large compressor plant to furnish power to the Nest Egg, Phœnix, Sunset No. 2, Hattie and other mines in that vicinity. The scheme may yet be carried through, but for the present the Nest Egg Company has decided to put in a plant of its own. On Monday night the order was placed with Mr. Mendenhall for a four drill compressor plant, with hoist and pump. This is to be delivered as soon as possible. For some time only two drills will be used. The contract was let on Saturday last for a boarding house and other necessary work at this mine, which is showing up well with recent development.

The Alf, situated about a mile to the southward of Rossland, almost adjoining the Mayflower and Hill Top, is a claim upon which work is to be prosecused vigorously all winter, under the superintendence of E. J. Liljigran. It changed hands recently, and now the owners have incorporated under the laws of British Columbia, with a capital stock of $1,000,000. The Alf is a very promising property, though as yet not much work has been done on it, chiefly in opencuts, to show the direction and extent of the ledges, and from these shallow workings assays from $4 to $8 in gold have been got, while the general characteristics of the ore are the same as of that from the Mayflower, which with development yielded assays from $56 to $105. The Alf has exceptionally good shipping facilities.

For some time men have been prospecting the surface of the Boise, belonging to the Imperial company. As reported last week they came on ore running from $18 to $22 in value at the depth of 26 feet, on another cutting made last week ore was got that assayed $45. This was practically on the surface, and the company has decided to sink upon this last find. Before spring the company expects to have blocked out a body of ore that will keep them shipping steadily to Trail smelter. The Debs has been shipping ore, and also the Sovereign and adjoining claims and the proposition has been made to construct a joint ore tramway from the mines to the smelter, which is very little more than a mile distant in an air line.

One of the mining properties that bids fair to establish the south belt as the equal of any other part of the camp as a mining district is the Silver Bell, situated on the south-west slope of Deer Park Mountain. All south belt claims that have so far been developed to any extent carry higher values in silver than those of the Red, Monte Christo or Columbia mountains, while in gold and copper they are about equal at equal depth. In the Silver Bell group, which comprises the Nancy Lee, Lone Jack and Silver Bell Mining Company, the value in silver, chiefly a sulphate, runs up to over $100 in value.

A siding is being put on the Red Mountain railway near the O. K. mine and beginning with this week all goods for Rossland coming over that line will be brought that far and teamed in. A customs officer will be appointed to go out and check over the goods after they are cleared at the Rossland office. This arrangement will last for about two weeks, by which time it is expected the rails will be laid into Rossland.

As a result of the majority of the firemen handing in their resignations on Monday last the brigade was in a state of disorganization for a week. On Saturday Chief Mackley also resigned, and that meant disbandment of the organization. A new brigade had then to be got together and on Monday Wilson McKinnon, of the Grand Union hotel, was asked to accept the position of chief, which he did. Assisted by the fire commissioners and others, before night good progress had been made, as the matter was talked up enthusiastically. It is proposed that the new brigade shall have a strength of thirty men when completed, and that it will be efficient in every particular.

[From the Rossland Record.]

Six inches of snow fell on Saturday night. The sun came out clear on Sunday morning and made a real pleasant day of it. It snowed three inches Sunday night and winter may be said to be fully on.

Managing Director S. Thornton Langley brought a fine sample of ore to this office from the Silver Chord, one of the six properties owned by the Kohinoor company. The rock is a fine-grained quartz, carrying copper and iron pyrites and was taken from a depth of eight feet. The properties are located on Lookout mountain, southwest slope.

CHILLIWACK.

(From the Progress.)

Messrs. L. N. Smith, H. Kipp, Rube Nowell and J. S. Smith held a private meeting last night relative to dyking their properties, and have decided to enter into a mutual agreement to commence and carry on the work without delay. Messrs. I. Kipp, J. Reece and McCutcheon have already put in several weeks' work on their dykes and will soon have the work completed. These gentlemen, owners of some of the finest properties in the valley, are determined to protect their land from any injury from high water, and should a public system of dyking be carried out they will be doubly secure.

FORT STEELE.

(From the Prospector.)

Four parallel leads run through the locations on Perry Creek, and there is no doubt this section will make a large gold camp. Perry, Weaver and Hell Roaring creeks and the Moyea river have been noted for placer gold, and the mineral zone can be traced through the country for a long distance. The ore is said to be an absolutely free milling quartz, the top of the lead being generally covered with red iron carbonates. Across the divide on Weaver Creek the same formation is found, and many locations have been made. Hugh McQuade has bonded several valuable claims on this creek, and will leave for Helena the latter part of the week to make arrangements for machinery to work the ore. It is reported that at least five stamp mills will be erected on Perry and Weaver creeks next summer. This section of the Fort Steele mining district of East Kootenay will during the coming season be one of the best mining camps in the country.

Constables Hatfield and Wilson, of the Northwest mounted police, came through the Crow's Nest Pass with dispatches to Indian Agent Galbraith and M. Phillips, stipendiary magistrate. They were in search of "Bad Young Man," the Indian murderer. After consulting with the authorities, they returned via the pass.

William Bosse, who has been doing development work on the Empire mining claim at Bull river, brought in some fine looking copper ore of a high grade.

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The said property consists chiefly of the equity of redemption in part (160 acres) of Section Seven (VII) Alberni District, British Columbia, together with a paper mill and sawmill erected upon the same, and also on the plant, machinery and tools, etc., used in connection therewith.

The mortgage charge upon the same is $26,025.97, with interest upon the same from the 30th day of September, 1896, to the date of sale, together with the costs of foreclosure proceedings to the said date of sale, less a rebate of $50.00 per month from the said 30th September to such date.

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Further particulars may be obtained from the undersigned at his office, or at the office of Messrs Fell & Gregory, Board of Trade Building, Bastion Square, Victoria, B.C.

13th November, 1896.

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Liquidator.

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Municipal Election

FOR 1897.

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FOR MAYOR.

Those who are entitled to vote for Aldermen.

FOR ALDERMEN.

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[a] Who is the assessed owner of land or of improvements, or the assessed occupier of land, or

[b] Who carries on business and is the holder of a trades license, the annual fee for which is not less than $5, and who has paid, on or before the 1st day of November, 1896, the full license fee therefor, or

[c] Who is a householder within the Municipality.

"A householder" is defined as a person who holds and occupies a dwelling, or any part or portion of a dwelling, paying therefor a rental or rent value of not less than $60 per annum.

Householders must have paid all municipal rates, taxes and license fees (exclusive of water rate or water rent) on or before the 1st day of December, 1896, to entitle them to make the declaration as mentioned below, and in order to be included in the voters' list must, on or before the 1st day of December, 1896, enter their names with the Assessor or Clerk of the Municipality as a voter, and make and personally deliver to the Assessor or Clerk at the same time a statutory declaration as set out in Section 5, Subsection (2) of the Municipal Elections Act, 1896.

Forms of said declaration may be obtained at the office of Mr. W. W. Northcott, Assessor, City Hall.

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Ar Wellington	12:00	6:55

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RECIPROCITY.

The Toronto Telegram, one of the Independent papers, is decidedly of the opinion that the only reciprocity arrangement which it is possible for Canada to get from the McKinley Administration will be one that includes manufactured articles as well as natural products. It says:

Canada has no cause to hope for any consideration at the hands of McKinley and his friends. They have put themselves on record as being willing to give us a measure of reciprocity that shall suit them. They will not consent to an agreement calling for the exchange of natural products alone. If Canadian commissioners go to Washington they will meet the same reception and will be given the same ultimatum as were encountered by the last delegation from Ottawa. Sir Richard Cartwright, two years ago, pledged himself to the negotiation of a satisfactory treaty. At the time the present minister of trade and commerce did not give parliament any information as to his reasons for thinking possible the securing of limited reciprocity. His statement was doubtless sincere. Its truition seems to be a long way off. The men of wealth who are to be the virtual rulers of the United States will agree to no treaty that shall not call for reciprocity in manufactured goods. This proposition is impossible as far as Canada is concerned.

The Laurier Government has no reason to delude itself with false hopes of securing better terms than were offered the delegates from the Conservative administration. More than the Democrats the Republicans have been Canada's enemies. The threat that they will withdraw the bonding privileges need give Canada no uneasiness. The Dominion is ready to give up these not invaluable concessions the moment it is made clear that they are to be the price of the surrender of any one of our industries. It is the custom of the United States press to talk as though Canadian commerce and Canadian railways existed only by grace of these privileges. Were Congress to abrogate the clause of the treaty of 1871 which relates to the passage through the States of Canadian goods in bond our loss would not be immeasureable. Canada can serve her people with her own railways. Attempts to make it appear that the Dominion's commerce would suffer any great injury by such an action will deceive no Canadian. The whole case is one of accommodation, accommodation by which the shippers of the United States are served quite as much as the Canadian people.

This independent tone in the matter of trade is healthy and quite consistent with the character of the journal from which it proceeds. Canadians are not dependent on United States trade for their commercial or their national existence. Properly regulated intimate commercial intercourse between them would be advantageous to both countries—to the States quite as much as to Canada—but the idea that Canada cannot prosper without reciprocity at any price with the United States is a foolish one, and is not, we are glad to see, entertained by any considerable number of Canadians. The proper attitude to take and to maintain towards the States in the matter of commercial relations is one of complete independence. Canadians should in all their dealings with the United States exhibit a most friendly spirit, but they should not cringe to their big neighbor or be too eager to obtain from it commercial favors. When the Liberals of this country a few years ago showed that they were prepared to part with their commercial independence to obtain reciprocity with the United States the Americans met their eager advances with coldness. They wanted not only the commercial independence of Canadians but their political allegiance as well. And they would, no doubt, take the same ground again if the Liberal Government should give them to understand that they believe that reciprocity is essential to the prosperity of Canada. But it is not; and the Americans should be made to see very clearly that it is not. Our American neighbors should be made to understand that we can hoe our own row just as well, and perhaps a little better, than they can. We shall lose nothing in the matter of trade or any other if we succeed in convincing them that we are independent of them and can get along without their assistance.

A PROSPECT OF FAMINE.

It seems that there is again danger of famine, or at any rate unusual scarcity, in Ireland. The last harvest was a very wet one and much of the grain was destroyed after it was cut, and the potatoes are rotting in the flooded fields. The farmers of the west and northwest have already given their landlords notice that they can expect no rent this year because the land has yielded little or nothing. It is said that the landlords have entered into a combination to press their tenants for rent, and there is a prospect of wholesale evictions. We trust that this part of the report is untrue or greatly exaggerated, for it is not to be believed that landlords will go to extremities with their starving tenants. If the condition of the country is as bad as it is represented to be the world is certain to hear a great deal more about suffering in Ireland.

KLEPTOMANIA.

Mr. Labouchere writes very bitterly about Mrs. Castle's case. He seems to think that the plea of kleptomania is not valid under any circumstances. If he is right the plea of insanity should never be listened to, for kleptomania is a form of insanity. It is agreed on all hands that there is such a form of mental derangement, and it is naturally more readily recognized in persons who are rich or in easy circumstances than those who are poor. If a rich woman takes to stealing and stealing things that she has no use for and is not in any way benefited by possessing, it is only reasonable to conclude that she is not right in her mind. A little observation and inquiry will show whether the thefts are caused by an inordinate desire to possess the property of other people or by an uncontrollable impulse to steal whatever she can lay her hands on. When a person commits an act for which no reason can be assigned, and keeps on committing it—tears his clothes, for instance—is it wrong or foolish or unreasonable to conclude that he is suffering from mental disorder? We think that this conclusion is the only one sensible people can arrive at. It is harder in the matter of kleptomania to come to this conclusion in the case of a poor person than in that of a rich one, for the poor man may have a temptation to steal in order to obtain what he really needs, and yielding to a temptation of that kind is weakness and wickedness but not insanity. But that the poor as well as the rich are afflicted with kleptomania is beyond a doubt.

It can easily be understood why judges and juries are unwilling to admit the plea of kleptomania, for if they once did so in what they believed to be a genuine case of mental derangement, thousands of sane thieves would, to escape the punishment they deserved, make the same plea, and it might in time become very difficult indeed to convict a clever thief. The same difficulty has to be met in admitting the plea of insanity in cases of murder. The proof of the madness of the murderer must be very clear indeed before the plea of insanity can be admitted.

It seems to us that a woman in Mrs. Castle's circumstances who steals hotel candlesticks and fans and opera glasses must be deranged and is not fit to be allowed to be at large without a watcher at her side. The most singular part of her case is that her husband did not discover her malady before she fell into the hands of justice. One would suppose that persons living in the same house with a kleptomaniac and knowing her intimately would not be long in finding out her derangement.

What Truth says about the governess and the seamstress is nothing better than mere demagogic rubbish. The plea of kleptomania was not set up for these poor women, for most likely it could not. And it was necessary that it should, before a comparison could, with anything like fairness, be made between their cases and that of Mrs. Castle.

SPAIN'S COLONIES.

Spain has two rebellious colonies on its hands, Cuba and the Philippine Islands. The insurrection in the latter seems to be quite as formidable as that in the former, and General Polavieja as drastic in his methods as General Weyler. The population of the Philippine Islands is much larger than that of Cuba, being 7,000,000, and seems quite as determined to throw off the Spanish yoke.

The colonial policy of Spain is not conciliatory and not calculated to encourage the people to govern themselves. The old idea that the interests of a colony are to be made subservient to those of the mother country, that it must be kept in a state of abject dependence, and that it must pay tribute, is still prevalent in Spain. So is the notion that colonists are inferior in every respect to the inhabitants of the parent country. This feeling shows itself so frequently and so offensively that the colonists or "creoles" have learned to hate the native Spaniards most heartily. The way in which war is carried on in both the colonies is calculated to make this hatred the master passion in the hearts of the colonists. Instances are given of the cruelty with which the insurgents are treated when they fall into the hands of the Spanish troops that make a person who has the ordinary feelings of humanity shudder with horror. Weyler's cruelties have obtained for him the title of "butcher," and, as will be seen by an account in another column, Polavieja's atrocities will entitle him to even a more disgraceful cognomen.

The people of the Philippine Islands are determined to get rid of their oppressors, and it seems as if they would not be very particular as to the means they resort to to accomplish their purpose. So many of the Spanish troops are required to keep in check the Cuban rebels that Spain will not be able to send troops enough to the Philippine Islands to stamp out the rebellion.

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Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 30th November, for the purchase of the estate of George Williscroft, deceased. The estate comprises land, one of the best water powers in the Province, a sawmill fully equipped, in running order, and the steamship Nell, of 207.97 tons burden.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

For terms and further particulars apply to Chas. Kent, Victoria.

CHAS. KENT, }
R. H. HALL, } Executors.

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 12, 1896. no13 td

TENDERS.

Tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned, until Monday, the 16th inst., at 4 p.m., for the removal of the garbage of the City of Victoria by scowing the same out to sea.

Specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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Victoria, Nov. 7th, 1896. nos

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On or before the 15th instant, for the purchase of that piece of property known as Lot No. 702, Block 21, situate on Fort street (south side) between Quadra and Vancouver streets, with buildings and improvements thereon.

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THE CITY.

A CONCERT will be given by the Literary and Musical Society of St. Saviour's church on Tuesday evening next.

BARGAINS—their nature and locality—are written of at length under "Shipping News" on the last page of this issue.

THE Methodist Sunday school at Spring Ridge under the superintendence of Mr. James Long, announce their "Christmas tree festival", for Tuesday evening, the 29th of December.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council is to be held this evening at 7 in the Williams building, Broad street, when all accredited delegates from affiliated unions are urged to be in attendance.

REV. CANON BEANLANDS yesterday afternoon delivered an interesting and forceful address on systematic benevolence, before the members of the Confraternity of the Lord's Tenth, at the rooms of the Y. W. C. A. on Johnson street.

THE afternoon trains advertised for to-day on the E. & N. railway are cancelled. The morning trains will run as usual, but no baggage will be taken except such as the passengers can carry. The steamer City of Nanaimo sails for Nanaimo about 10 o'clock this morning, carrying passengers and freight. x

SOME time ago a suit for $50,000 damages for the death of his wife in the Point Ellice disaster was brought by Dr. Prevost, of Seattle, against the City and the Consolidated Railway Co. jointly. The suit against the city was discontinued a few days ago, and yesterday Mr. S. Perry Mills, acting for Dr. Prevost, served another writ on the city in the matter, making the suits against the city and the tramway separate.

THE principal feature at the monthly meeting of the Teachers' Institute yesterday was a paper on "Psychology," read by Rev. W. D. Barber, who recommended the study of that subject as giving an insight into mental processes that would be valuable to teachers in training children. Mr. L. C. Tait, principal of Victoria West school, read a paper on the teaching of "Long, square and cubic measure," the rest of the afternoon being taken up with discussion of the subject.

THE receipts from a first carload of the Two Friends, a mine situated in the Slocan district, were $3,284.69. This figure was the net return after paying for freight and treatment. A second carload was shipped which will net $3,600, a telegram having been received to that effect yesterday. Seven tons of this last car averaged 379 ounces silver and 52 per cent. of lead per ton, 13 tons averaging 248 ounces silver and 46 per cent. lead per ton. The mine is one of the most promising properties in the Slocan.

COMPLAINT was made to the police yesterday that the Argyle House, a dry goods store situate next to the Clarence hotel on Douglas street, was entered on Thursday night and robbed of a small amount of change together with three pairs of corsets. Apparently the thief entered by means of a key fitting the front door and then made a search for a cardboad box in which the change is kept in lieu of the safe. There was some $70 in the box, but though the goods in the shop were tumbled about considerably by the thief in his search, the box escaped discovery. The small sum of $1.90 was stolen from the till.

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SYMPATHY for Mrs. O'Brien, a much respected resident of Oak Bay, is very widely expressed in consequence of the death of her youngest son, a little fellow of ten years, from appendicitis yesterday. The funeral is announced for to-morrow.

THE wires yesterday again declined to perform their functions between Vancouver and Winnipeg and only did defective duty between the Terminal City and San Francisco. The telegraphic dispatches this morning are therefore very meagre.

YESTERDAY a motion for a non-suit in Harris v. Dunsmuir was made before Mr. Justice Walken. At the trial of the action damages were assessed for plaintiff for some $19,000, but leave was granted by the trial judge for defendant to move for a non-suit. Argument will be continued to-day. Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q.C., for defendant; Mr. L. P. Duff for plaintiff.

THERE was but one case called in the city police court yesterday, that of the Chinaman Chew Mow, arrested for running a lottery game. The police asked for and obtained a remand in order to secure additional evidence, their case being admittedly weak at present. Chew Mow has, pending the hearing of the information, obtained bail in the amount of $1,000.

A TELEGRAM from Westminster yesterday announced the death of Lilian Field, the unfortunate palmist who went insane on Sunday and was sent to the asylum on Wednesday. The mania in her case was of a most violent and acute form and it is not at all an uncommon thing for fatal results to follow very quickly in such cases. Mrs. Field, the mother, is at present in Revelstoke, and Chief Sheppard has wired to her.

THE council of the British Columbia Board of Trade met yesterday afternoon to consider the draft of the address to be presented to Hon. Mr. Tarte when he visits Victoria. The address in its draft form was approved, and will be suitably prepared by the secretary. It is along the line suggested at the previous meeting of the council, although other matters relating to trade or the requirements of the city may yet be added.

THE following is the programme for the Y.M.C.A. entertainment this evening: Piano solo, Mrs. DeDonald; solo, "Island of Dreams," Mr. Sherborne; recitation, Miss Dora Wolff; duet, "The Moon Hath Raised," Messrs. Wolff and Rowlands; song, "Miller and the Maid," Mrs. Giffin; concertina solo, Mr. Oliver; solo, "The Jolly Young Waterman," Mr. Keith; recitation, Mr. Allan; solo, "Best of All," Mr. Smith; quartette, "In This Hour of Softened Splendour," Mrs. MGrau and Mrs. Rowlands, and Messrs. Keith and Rowlands.

CHARLES LAWRY, the Snohomish horseman who is defendant in the suit now going on in the County court, in which J. C. Johnston is suing for balance alleged to be due for training the trotter Mary Kenny, is under arrest on a charge of perjury. The information alleges that in the County court suit of Lawry v. Adams for the possession of the trotter Snohomish Boy, which took place some months ago, Lawry committed perjury in the evidence he gave. Lawry will probably come before the police magistrate this morning.

THOSE who appreciate good music will be given opportunity enough and talent sufficient to gratify their taste on Tuesday evening next when a concert and organ recital will be given by Mr. Geo. J. Burnett in the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. Assisting Mr. Burnett are some of the most gifted musicians of the city. A programme selected from favorite musical works has been prepared for the occasion, and as it is announced that no admission fee will be charged for the evening, the church on Tuesday evening should be crowded.

HERE is the programme arranged by Bandmaster Finn for this evening's promenade concert at the drill hall by the band of the Fifth Regiment:

March—"Dorscht" ..... Weigaud
Overture—"Poet and Peasant" ..... Suppe
(a) Intermezzo—"Forget-Me-Not" ..... Macbeth
(b) Characteristic Piece—"Anvil Polka" ..... Parlow
Grand selection from "Lucia" ..... Donizetti
Selection on "Irish Airs" ..... Beyer
Exhibition of field gun drill, including firing, dismounting and mounting, by detachments from right and left half of No. 1 Company.
Waltzes—"Wine, Women and Song" ..... Strauss
Selection from "Nanon" ..... Genee

To-day (Saturday, Nov. 7th) we have opened up still another consignment of Japanese rugs, better than ever. Weiler Bros. x

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SWOLLEN RIVERS

Seriously Interfere With Traffic on Both Island and Mainland Roads.

Although the incessant rain of the past few days has made its presence felt in Victoria chiefly in muddy streets and the usual disagreeable et ceteras, it has produced much more serious results in the districts, both on Island and Mainland, and vehicular and railway traffic has suffered severely in consequence. The Charmer arriving from Vancouver last night brought only local mails, several bad washouts between Kamloops and the Terminal City having prevented the Pacific express getting through. There was a similar explanation for a three and a half hours' delay in the arrival of yesterday's train from Nanaimo, the trestle bridge across Niagara canyon—a little above Goldstream—having carried away during the night, and the passengers both north-bound and south-bound being obliged in consequence to walk a little more than a mile in order to connect with the trains waiting at either end of the break. The fallen trestle was one of the highest on the line, spanning a rocky and picturesque gorge; it was through the blocking of this canyon with debris carried by the swollen mountain stream that the bridge came to grief, and it is not at all likely that any effort will be made to replace it. Instead, the company will, it is understood, proceed as speedily as possible with the erection of a substantial steel and stone structure, carrying out a plan of line improvement long since decided upon. For the immediate present, passengers between the terminal points on the line may depend on getting through with no more serious inconvenience than that of walking from the one train to the other. Or they may go from here to the Coal City by first-class steamer, arrangements having been made to have the City of Nanaimo make a trip from here to Nanaimo this morning, for the especial convenience of freight, which, of course, cannot be handled over the break. The afternoon train to-day is cancelled, but the morning train will go out at the usual hour, carrying only such hand baggage as passengers take in their own care. From other points along the line there was word yesterday of extremely high water, the Koksilah, Cowichan and Chemainus rivers, Waugh Creek and Goldstream all being flooded but no damage to railway property was apprehended in consequence. From Sooke river comes word that the government road bridge at Milne's carried away on Thursday evening, Milne's wharf and warehouse also going down the swollen stream. The bridge was a 300 foot timber structure erected some nine years ago at a cost of $2,500. Until it can be repaired or replaced Road Foreman Peatt proposes establishing a ferry for the convenience of traffic which is now absolutely at a standstill.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Football Events This Afternoon—Opening of Golf Handicaps Postponed Owing to the Rain.

"Weather permitting"—which at the present time is no empty phrase—the Fifth Regiment football club will meet the Navy on the canteen grounds this afternoon, the city team being made up as follows: Full back, H. A. Holmes; three-quarters, J. F. Foulkes (captain), T. E. Pooley, W. R. Wilson and H. B. Haines; halves, P. R. Daniels and T. P. Patton; forwards, L. B. Trimen, C. Cornwall, D. C. Tuck, C. Schwengers, F. A. Futcher, J. R. Gaudin, R. A. Johnston and W. T. Williams. The members of this team are requested to be at Campbell's corner in time to catch the 2:10 car.

In the return match between the Columbias and the Y.M.C.A.'s, to be played on the College grounds, Beacon Hill, the following team will represent the Y.M.C.A., the match opening at 3 sharp: Goal, R. Lorimer; backs, H. L. Holden and Walter Winsby; half-backs, C. McNeill, W. A. Lorimer and W. McKeown; forwards, J. Barnswell, J. Hemsworth, J. W. Lorimer, W. N. Winsby and L. York; reserve, G. Robinson.

The Rugby club announce a practice match at Caledonia park, in which all are invited to take part, as their only fixture for this afternoon.

The Junior Wanderers play the Barracks at Work Point to-day, and are requested to catch the 2 o'clock car from Campbell's corner. Appended is the team: Goal, W. Wriglesworth; backs, B. Foreman and A. Goward; half backs, H. Lawson, R Reid, G. Donaldson; forwards, P. Johnston, C. Berkley, C. Becket, H. Chandley, and G. Wilson.

GOLF.

OPENING MATCHES POSTPONED.

Yesterday the opening games of the regular monthly medal handicap matches of the Victoria Golf Club were to have been played off on the Oak Bay links, but unlike their gentlemen friends in the sport the ladies who were to have tried conclusions decided not to brave the elements. They therefore postponed the events until Monday. To-day, however, rain or shine, the gentlemen's handicaps will be played.

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HERE AND THERE.

SNAP SHOTS AT ALL SPORTS.

"Count Schomberg" won the Liverpool autumn cup for three year olds and up yesterday. The distance was a mile and three furlongs. Devou was second and St. Jarleth third.

A TANDEM ELOPEMENT.

Peter Metcalfe Runs Away With a Young Woman on a Bicycle.

Peter Metcalfe, the speedy Californian who lived for a short time in Victoria and made the half mile professional record on the Oak Bay track last summer, eloped last week from San Francisco with Miss Clara Byrne on a tandem bycicle and rode to Stockton, where a justice of the peace married the adventurous couple. Clara's mamma objected to Peter and Peter's mamma has no love for Clara, so the young people concluded to take matters into their own hands and have an up-to-date marriage all to themselves. Peter says he is twenty-one, but his angry maternal parent says he is not, and she will have the marriage annulled, but Peter does not seem very much alarmed, as he brought his wife back to San Francisco, and is now living just round the corner from the parental abode. Peter's papa is worth one-half a million, and the son is quite confident that before long all will be serene and happy again. Young Mrs. Metcalfe is said to be very attractive and bright in appearance, and does not seem to know why a wheel was chosen for the elopement, but apparently she is quite satisfied with her youthful husband, and does not regret missing the trousseau, orange blossoms, presents and other accessories of a modish marriage.

INJUNCTION ASKED FOR.

Application to Restrain Messrs. Carthew and Matthewson from Acting as Trustees of the Carlisle Cannery.

Yesterday an injunction was applied for by H. A. Munn, Joshua Holland and S. M. Okell to restrain John A. Carthew and W. A. Matthewson from acting as trustees of the Carlisle Packing and Canning Co. The case arises out of dissatisfaction on the part of the applicants at the results of the annual meeting of the company held on November 4 and 5. At that meeting there were present Messrs. John A. Carthew, W. A. Matthewson, James A. Carthew, Joshua Holland, H. A. Munn and S. M. Okell, Mr. C. Dubois Mason acting as secretary. The chairman, Mr. John A. Carthew, declared that Messrs. Matthewson, Munn and himself had been elected directors for the ensuing term, while Messrs. Munn, Holland and Okell claimed that they were elected and that some proxies held by Mr. Okell which would have given them the majority of votes, had been improperly ruled out by the chairman. Acting as directors of the company, Messrs. John A. Carthew and Matthewson took out replevin proceedings, and on Thursday had the books of the company seized by the sheriff. The present application, on behalf of Messrs. Munn, Holland and Okell, is to restrain Messrs. Carthew and Matthewson from acting as trustees or interfering in any way with the management of the company. The application was yesterday adjourned until Monday. Mr. P. E. Irving for the application; Mr. Gordon Hunter, of Hunter, Duff & Oliver, contra.

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For several days past the offices, at 34 Fort street, of the B. C. District Telegraph and Delivery Co. have been in the possession of the sheriff, and it is now announced that the complete electrical equipment and office fixtures—everything requisite for the carrying on of the business—will be sold at auction next Monday, under a landlord's warrant.

LAST night Vancouver Lodge No. 5, A. O. U. W., went out to Saanichton, where they held a special meeting out of compliment to the members of the lodge resident in that part of the district. A special train at 7:30 took the city members, accompanied by Grand Master Workman Church, out to Saanichton, and after the lodge meeting in the Orange hall an entertainment and dance was enjoyed in the agricultural hall to the music of Bantly's band. The city people returned home by a special train at two o'clock this morning.

A very good and thoroughly representative meeting of the "Brither Scots" and their friends was held in the Sir William Wallace society's hall, last evening. The programme included song, "Bonnie Charlie, My Dearie Oh," by Mr. Hutcheson, given in a pleasing manner; the ever popular "Annie Laurie," by Mr. Shank, a bluejacket; a splendid recitation "Rob Roy's Grave," by Mr. Henderson; a paper on Dr. Jamieson, the author of the Scottish etymological, dictionary by R. H. Jameson, the secretary, and a description of the ancient Hallowe'en customs by several of the members of the society. In the absence of the chief the chair was ably filled by Mr. W. Kerr and "Auld Lang Syne" brought a pleasant meeting to a close.

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[From the New York Herald.]

HONG KONG, Oct. 1.—The following terrible experiences of the Black Hole of Manila, Philippine islands, are told by Tung Teo a half-caste native, who is one of the leaders in the movementon the part of the islanders to throw off the galling yoke of the Spanish authorities.

"The Black Hole of Manila? It is a living grave. Its constructor is a high-priest of hell.

"One day during August I was riding with a hundred Mestizos through the wood near Manila. My brothers, Tung Min and Tung Dow, were with me. Suddenly we heard the galloping of horses. A moment afterward came the rattle of rifles and the clang of sabres. We were surrounded. Back to back we fought down that bloody road to the river. All about me through the rifle smoke I could hear the clash of steel, the groans, cries and shrill articulations of fighting men. Then I fell senseless from this blow on the head.

"When I regained consciousness we had been overpowered. The air was full of powder smoke. Dozens of my companions lay on the ground dead. Others, dazed and helpless, sat nursing their wounds as best they could. Near where I lay four Spaniards sat on a dead horse smoking cheroots. I wiped the blood from my eyes and asked them for a drink of water. They laughed and jeered, and one of them coming close to me, kicked me in the face. I said nothing. My time will yet come.

"My two brothers, Tung Min and Tung Dow, had been captured, and were lying bound near by. Altogether there were seventy prisoners. Those who were badly wounded were

BEATEN TO DEATH

with clubs. My life was saved because I was a leader. My fate was to be a more horrible one.

"We were marched two and two into Manila at the tails of the Spanish horses. We were hooted by the government mob in the streets, and scourged as we passed. We were sullen and silent. Whoever saw a Mestizo complain? A hundred other revolutionists had been captured that day, and we all entered the town together. The weather was appallingly hot and those of us who were cut up in the fight suffered terribly.

"I was forced along, bareheaded, and the terrific sun beating down on my open wound drove me almost crazy. They took us to a small dungeon under the bastions of San Sebastian Intra Muros. We numbered one hundred and sixty-nine. The room in which we were confined was of huge rough stone blocks. It was about forty feet square, and the floor of it sloped somewhat steeply toward the sea.

"On one side was a small door fitting solidly into the masonry. In the roof was a grated hole three feet square. In the floor on the lowest side next the sea was another hole through which we could see the barnacled stones and green moss of the sea. We could hear it lapping and murmuring in the distance.

"These two small holes were the only means of ventilation. Immediately above the hole in the floor a breath of fresh air was possible. Away from it the atmosphere was almost unbearable. At the lower edge of the slanting floor the stones were green with slimy moss, fostered and fed by the tides. Along the rough stone ceiling huge spiders had strung their webs, and scorpions lurked in the dark corners. Into

THIS DEATH HOLE

they forced us through the small solid door. By ones and twos my comrades and the other Mestizos who had been captured came in, bloody and weary and sick, and at once crouched down on the floor near the grating. There was no room to lie down. We sat foot to foot and shoulder to shoulder, and still they came.

"Finally, a body of us pressed near the narrow entrance so the Spaniards could not crowd the last half dozen prisoners in. They closed the door with a bang and went laughing away. We thought we had gained our point. It was a mistake.

"A few moments afterwards there came a rattling and clanking at the grating in the ceiling. It was raised and the body of a man was flung down headlong among us. He was alive and wounded. Then came another until the entire half dozen had been thrown through the trap door and lay senseless on the stone floor.

"We made room for them somehow. It was afternoon, and the air even in the streets outside was breathless. We panted like dogs and tore our clothes off in the effort to keep from falling dead with the smothering heat.

LIKE WILD BEASTS.

"We must have been a source of great enjoyment to the Spanish officers. All the afternoon they came in couples and threes to gaze at us through the grating. They laughed and talked and asked us how we felt. We swayed and crushed together in gasping silence. What was the use of replying?

"Han Kai and his brother held the centre of the dungeon. They were both leaders of the Mestizos of the province of Batanzas. Han Kai was a giant in stature, with a dash of Chinese in his blood that showed in his oblique eyes and high cheek bones. They were both desperate men.

"At four o'clock in the afternoon there came a squad of soldiery to the door of the dungeon. It opened and we were revived by a delicious draught of air. It was only for a moment. In the space of a few seconds we were driven back by sword and bayonet, and Han Kai's brother was taken away.

TO DEATH?

We did not know. Another two hours passed. Two men who had been crushed into the stagnant and airless corners had died. This meant more air for the rest of us, but two out of one hundred and sixty-nine is not much, after all.

"At six o'clock there came another rattle at the door, another delicious draught of air, and Han Kai's brother was thrust in among us. He was eyeless. His feet had been gashed on the soles as a baker gashes a pie. They had been burned and seared and blackened by fire.

"We gazed at him stupidly, and then went on panting and heaving and gasping for breath. All but Han Kai. He looked up, and gave a great cry. He sprang to his feet. He blasphemed, railing at heaven and hell. He gnashed his teeth and foamed at the mouth. Again and again he sprang impotently for the grating in the ceiling.

"'Come,' he cried; 'come and

HOLD ME UP.

I can break the grating.'

"Three of us sprang to the frenzied man's assistance. A fourth climbed on our shoulders. Then Han Kai, who was as agile as a greyhound in spite of his great size, clambered up. He barely reached the bars with his fingers. He lifted and tugged and swore. Looking up with straining eyes from the bottom, I saw a face appear, stooping over the grating. It was that of a Spanish lieutenant.

"With a quick spring that knocked us all in a heap, Han Kai grasped the grating with one hand and with the other grasped the Spaniard by the hair, hauling his face close to the bars. Then suddenly changing his tactics he let go of the grating and threw his left arm around the man's neck and began to choke him with his right hand.

"Never a sound did the Spaniard utter. His eyes started from his head, his face grew purple and he writhed like a snake in his efforts to get away. High above us hung Han Kai growling and mumbling at his victim like an angry dog.

FIGHT WITH A MADMAN.

"Suddenly there was a clatter of feet, and some soldiers came running to the grating. It did not take long to grasp the situation. Out came their swords, and in an instant Han Kai was bleeding from an awful wound across the throat. They cut at the great Mestizo like demons, but Han Kai hung on, biting and snarling like a beast.

"Finally one of the soldiers knelt and drove his sword straight down behind Han Kai's collarbone and into his chest. It was the stroke that Spanish matadors use in killing a bull. Slowly Han Kai's head lolled back and slowly his huge muscles grew limp. His arms uncoiled, hung a little, and then down he came on the stone floor with a great crash, the dead lieutenant staring down at him with horrible bursting eyes from the grating above.

"Soon afterward night came on, but it brought no relief. I had fought my way to the grating in the floor, through which I breathed the hot odors of the beach in great gulps. All about me men were fighting and struggling like maniacs, yet almost without noise.

"Near by, my brothers lay senseless under the feet of their maddened fellows. I hauled them out, with many a blow and curse, and placed their faces to the grating. After a time they revived.

"As time passed, a stupor seemed to fall upon us. Dozens

FELL UPON THE FLOOR,

and lay heedless of the feet that tramped upon their faces and necks. There were no complaints—only half human squeaks and gibbers, like the noises made by rats in a trap.

"About ten o'clock, as early as I could judge, the moon topped the bastions of the fort, and a clear, white shaft of light slanted into the dungeon. It seemed to rob the night of the invisible terror of smotheration, only to bring out, with an awful distinctness, the horrors that could be seen.

"The dungeon was bathed in a sort of blue light, like that of an inferno. The floor was covered with a tangled carpet of men. Hands were clenched into stony rigor. Breasts heaved deep and stertorously. Faces shone ghastly in the moonlight, with lips drawn back from the gleaming teeth, and twitching spasmodically.

"Above we could hear the steady tread of the heedless sentry, and beneath the hungry lapping of the sea. The tide was rising, and, thank God—I thought to myself—the cold sea water will refresh us.

"Pretty soon those of us who lay about the floor grating were enabled to reach the undermining waves with our hands. We lapped up the water in our palms and threw it over the prostrate and half senseless tangle of men. Some it revived. Others it made angry.

DELIRIOUS BLASPHEMY.

"In their delirium some of the men would moan horrible blasphemies in the darkness. 'The Spaniards are Christians,' a shrill, sick voice would cry; 'we are not. They are torturing us for their Christ, who died to save sinners.'

"'Sh-h-h!' another unsteady voice would moan; 'don't say that. I am a Christian. Christ was good. He would not have treated us thus. God is good. He will take care of us. Glory to God!'

"Then harsh voices would break out with sudden and intense objurgations that told of unbalanced minds, and here and

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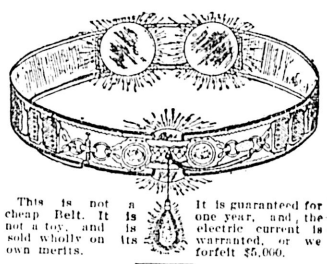
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Dated at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, this 19th day of August, 1896.

DRAKE JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for Applicants.
Victoria, B. C. au23

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an act to incorporate a company with power to construct, equip, operate and maintain, either standard or narrow gauge railways, for the purpose of conveying passengers, freight and ore from a point at or near Revelstoke, on the Canadian Pacific railroad, thence northwards following the valley of the Columbia river to a point at or near the junction of Lance river; and with power to construct, equip, operate and maintain branch lines and all necessary bridges, roads, ways, ferries, wharves, docks, and coal bunkers; and with power to build, own, equip, operate and maintain steam and other vessels and boats; and with power to build, equip, operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines in connection with the said railways and branches, and to generate electricity for the supply of light, heat and power, and with power to expropriate lands for the purposes of the company, and to acquire lands, bonuses, privileges or other aids from any government, municipality, or other persons or bodies corporate, and to make traffic or other arrangements with railway, steamboat, or other companies; and with power to build wagon roads to be used in construction of such railways, and in advance of the same, and to levy and collect tolls from all parties using and on all freight passing over any such roads built by the company, whether built before or after the passage of the act hereby applied for, and with all other usual, necessary, or incidental rights, powers or privileges as may be necessary or incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects, or any of them.

Dated at the city of Victoria this 28th day of October, A.D. 1896.

HUNTER & DUFF,
oc30-6w Solicitors for the Applicants.

NOTICE is hereby given that we, the undersigned, intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the city of Victoria, B.C., for a transfer to Eugene Ferando, of the retail liquor license now held in the name of Carlo Bossi, for the sale of liquor by retail upon the premises known as the Grand Pacific Hotel, corner of Johnson and Store streets, Victoria aforesaid.

Dated this 23rd day of October, 1896.

A. V. BOSSI. EMMA C. WALD.
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Executors of the late Carlo Bossi. By their Attorney-in-Fact,
no1-30t S. PERRY MILLS.

NOTICE is hereby given that one month after the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette, application will be made by the Corporation of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, under the provisions of the "act respecting certain works constructed in or over navigable waters," Revised Statutes of Canada, Chapter 92, to His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, for approval of the plans for two wooden pile bridges, one (now partially constructed) for ordinary vehicular and pedestrian traffic, and the other for tramway traffic only, both to be constructed across the waters of Victoria Arm, Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, from Work street, Victoria aforesaid, to the Indian Reservation, and on or near the site of the Point Ellice bridge that collapsed on the 26th May, 1896; the plans of which proposed bridges and a description of the proposed site thereof are deposited with the Minister of Public Works and a duplicate of each are deposited at the office, in Victoria aforesaid, of the Registrar-General of Deeds for the Province of British Columbia.

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 4th day of August, 1896.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
au7-tf Clerk to the Municipal Council.

NOTICE—I hereby give notice that I intend to apply to the board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria, at its next sitting, for a transfer to Elizabeth Payne of the license now held by Elizabeth Martin, deceased, to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Grove saloon, corner of Frederick and Catherine streets, Victoria West, in the city of Victoria.

ELIZABETH PAYNE
Executrix of Elizabeth Martin.
Victoria, November 4th, 1896. no5

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Licensing Board at its next sitting for a transfer to Thomas Garvin, of Victoria, of my license to sell wines and liquors by retail upon the premises known as the "Royal Hotel" (Trade Dollar Saloon) situate on the northeast corner of Fort and Douglas streets, in the City of Victoria.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1896.

R. A. LAWREN. E KIRK,
By his Attorney in Fact,
no3- C. A. HOLLAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days from date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres, more or less, of the following described land, three miles, more or less, south of the north entrance of the east side of Schooner Passage (on an island), Rivers Inlet: Commencing at a stake planted on the north corner, marked "M.G."; thence running east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west and back to place of commencement.

MARK GOSSE
Rivers Inlet, August 26th, 1896. se1

STORY OF BALD MOUNTAIN.

Interesting Developments Anticipated in the Vicinity of Donald—Trying to Pick Up a Lost Chord.

(From the Calgary Herald.)

For some time past it has been known that a few of the citizens of Calgary were interesting themselves in a scheme having for its object the development of certain mining prospects near Donald, in British Columbia. Their operations were conducted so quietly that it has not been possible to gather all the facts as to organization, who are interested, or what are their prospects or intentions further than that they are pushing development in a manner that evidences a confidence which they are not at present disposed to share with the public. As the property—a very large one we understand—is controlled by Calgarians, it may be of interest to our readers to give the story of Bald mountain.

The story was given to a Herald representative by a British Columbian—himself a miner—and is, we think, substantially correct. In 1875 or 1876 a party of seven men were looking up placer mining on Canyon creek. Their operations were so successful that they wintered there and followed their luck the next season. One of the party, an Irishman named Hughes, however, was not satisfied with "good pay," and with the object, he said, of finding where the "coorse gold came from," left his comrades to explore the mountains. After an absence of some five weeks he returned and stated that he had found a place where all the creeks in the Selkirks took their rise, and gave a description of what is now known as Bald mountain. Certain it is that within a very short distance from the mountain, the Spillimacheen, Grizzly, Porcupine, Boulder and Old Man creeks do take their rise and that pay gold has been and still is found in all these streams. When Hughes had replenished his grub pile, he left his companions and was never seen or heard of again. Whether he lost his way, or perished in search for wealth, as have thousands of others is not known.

Some ten years later Mr. W. H. Lee, at present a resident of Calgary, then living in Donald, caught the gold fever. Whether he had heard of the supposed find of Hughes is not known, but after a season's prospecting in the vicinity of Donald, he put two men at work on this Bald mountain, to open out a quartz lead which from its appearance promised rich developments. He himself, having a business in Donald, could only occasionally pay visits to the mountain. One of the parties at work was a Swede, the other in charge a Frenchman. The latter would make frequent visits to Donald for grub, which had to be packed out on his back. One morning, succeeding the day the Frenchman had been in Donald, Mr. Lee and the citizens of Donald were surprised to see the Frenchman again in town, in a great state of excitement exhibiting two pieces of quartz containing free milling gold.

Mr. Lee asked the man to let him look at them, but neither threat nor entreaty would induce him to let the specimens out of his hands. Nor, indeed, would he allow any person to approach him. His actions convinced those who saw him that his luck had unhinged his mind, and the result was that he was taken in charge by the police. Medical experts pronounced him insane, when he was taken to the asylum, where he died last year. Not once, we are informed, in all these years was he sane enough to say where the spot was which proved of such fatal consequences to himself, and his secret died with him. His companion, the Swede, was never seen again. Whether the Swede made the find and informed the Frenchman, who then made away with him, or just where the place is which hides so much of that which proves a curse as well as a blessing to those who have it, is not known.

Bald mountain again took a rest until this last summer, when Mr. Lee and a companion started out to pick up the "lost chord." After a hazardous trip up the mountain they discovered among other interesting "finds" the place where the Frenchman referred to had "cached" his shovels, picks, drills, etc. Other traces of camp were also found, and it would not be surprising if the bones of the Swede were unearthed. Beyond the fact that several quartz leads were discovered, we are not in a position to state the results of this prospecting, but believe them to be satisfactory to themselves and the local parties who are associated with them. It is to be hoped that their expectations will be fully realized, with the result that not only the headquarters of a prosperous company will be located at Calgary, but the reduction works as well.

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SECOND MATE KELLY, of the bark Speke, now lying at Esquimalt, was summoned to appear before Mr. E. Baynes Reed, J. P., yesterday, on a charge of aggravated assault. The complaint was made by three of the crew, who alleged that they had been treated badly by the mate on the voyage from Singapore here. Kelly failed to put in an appearance, however, and a warrant has been issued for his arrest. He is supposed to have gone to the American side.

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MANILA'S BLACK HOLE.

Continued from page Six.

there through the breathless heat couples of men began to fight.

"Up came the water, inch by inch, until at brief intervals it filled the grating with a low, half human sob. It splashed up into the faces of those of us who hung over the bars. It ran snakelike into the room. With each transitory filling of the grate the dungeon fairly seemed to hold its breath Breathing did not seem to be a possibility while the waves flushed into the hole.

"Then it dawned upon my mind that the Spaniards had put us there to suffocate. The thought was horrifying. The breathing spells between the run of the waves grew further and further apart. The sea was now coming in, with a long, weeping cry that I knew was a death song.

"The shaft of moonlight had shifted. I could see in the lambent glow that some of the dead men lay with their faces

UNDER THE WATER.

"Others who were drowning tossed their hands about, weak and helpless One reclined against the wall with the water lapping about his shoulders. The triangular knife scar that marks all our clan gleamed white on his knee. I saw with a dull intelligence that the scar was on a level with his nose. When the water reached the scar the man would drown.

"It crept up and up, to chin and lips, and then to his nose. Then, with one weak, strangling gasp and a vague tossing of the hands he was gone. I could not help him. The water was up to my shoulders, and I began to feel the heavy sense of oppression that comes before asphyxiation.

"Then, right in the lacelike fan of moonlight I saw the hat of my brother, Tung Dow. It was almost on a level with the water, and I could see his forehead under it. He was dead.

"Summoning all my strength, I crawled up the slanting floor through the water toward the little door. I do not know why I wanted to go there. One place is as good to die in as another. But I crawled on slowly and weakly over the multitude of senseless men. Some of them struck at me, like men in a nightmare. Others tried to bite me.

"I passed three dead leaders of our organization. I crawled over the body of a boy who had joined us on the day previous. I made my way slowly past the burned and eyeless brother of Han Kai, who was moaning feebly over his dead.

FRESH AIR AT LAST.

"I reached the little door, toppled over weakly against it and fell with my face to the floor. I think that saved my life. A thin, cool stream of pure air assailed my nostrils. It was so thin and faint that I could scarcely locate it. What a heaven it was! I would have fought for that crevice with my life. It came from an infinitesimal crack under the door.

"Before many minutes I was a new man. Just as the pale shaft of moonlight was fading away I sank into a sort of fevered doze that was first cousin to coma.

"When I awoke the small grating in the ceiling was growing gray with the dawn. All around the edges of the dungeon the gaunt dead were grouped into horrible statuary. On one side lay the Christian who had praised God, with the teeth of a Mestizo clenched in his throat. The faces of many of the dead men were torn by the fingers of their companions.

"My mind had become so dull by suffering that I did not mind it much. Here and there were men who exhibited some

SIGNS OF INTELLIGENCE.

It was easy to see that many others were dying. The tide had left the floor again and the green mossed walls were reeking with the smell of the salt sea.

"What was to be our fate? I did not know and I cared very little. Both my brothers were dead and I was alone. I would far rather have died than to spend another night in that place. Fifty-four men had been smothered to death and drowned. Twenty others were so far gone that they could not possibly recover. A hundred of us were still in comparatively good condition.

"Why not try to pose as a dead man and be carried out with them? The thought came on me like a flash. I would try it at least.

"For an hour or more I waited patiently for the appearance of the Spaniards. They came at last and so suddenly that I barely had time to fling myself down and haul a dead man across my face.

"I will do justice to the one gleam of humanity I have ever observed in the Spanish nature.

"'Too bad,' said one; 'we would have had fun hanging them.'

ESCAPE OF A RINGLEADER.

"That was humane and considerate. After a while the men came with stretchers and began to carry away the dead. When my turn came I held my breath. A Spanish doctor knelt down and felt my heart.

"'Why,' said he, 'this man is alive!' There was astonishment and regret in his voice. He rolled me over and felt my pulse. 'Take him to the hospital,' he said.

"So I was bundled off to the hospital with about twenty-five others. These of my companions who were on their feet in the dungeon when the doctor arrived were doomed to pass another night there. I felicitated myself on my luck. I moaned and talked deliriously, and made believe I was tremendously sick. Consequently I was more lightly guarded than the others.

"The eyeless brother of Han Kai had the cot next to mine, and it was evident that he could not live long. All day I moaned and tossed in the hospital. At six o'clock Han Kai died. There were only two more sick men in the room where I lay, and they were insensible.

"Pretty soon two men came in with a stretcher. They placed the dead man on it and covered the body with a blanket and went away. Then came the

INSPIRATION THAT SAVED MY LIFE.

I sprang from my cot, and, lifting the dead man in my arms, placed him in it. As quickly as possible I then lay down on his cot and covered myself with the blanket.

"Half an hour afterward they returned, and without a word lifted the stretcher and carried it out to the dead wagon. I was dumped into it on top of six other dead Mestizos, and away we went for an unknown destination.

"We passed along the closely guarded streets, and turned along the quays toward the shipping. Here, in an open space, we were dumped out unceremoniously, like so many sacks of meal. We were visited by dogs, hogs and children. The dogs barked at us, the children pelted us with stones, and the hogs rooted about us.

"My dead companions did not seem to mind it, but I had a lively fear of some of the stones, and I was profoundly grateful when darkness came on.

"It must have been ten o'clock when I rose to my feet and slipped quickly away through the darkness. I got away scot free. There was absolutely not a living thing in sight.

"There was a cordon of soldiers around the city, however, and I was afraid to attempt an escape to the country.

"I hid between two dark buildings until about midnight, when I slipped aboard the Hong Kong steamer and stowed myself away. I shall return whenever such a thing is practicable."

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1 p.m..	55°		1 p.m.—4 S.E.
5 p.m..	56°	Lowest 43°	9 p.m.—8 N.
9 p.m..	43°		

Rain—2.22.

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E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

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AGENTS.

BIRTHS.

GIBBONS—In this city, on the 13th inst., the wife of C. Harrison Gibbons, of a daughter.

DIED.

O'BRIAN—At Jubilee Hospital, on the 13th inst., of appendicitis, Douglas Eugene, youngest son of R O'Brian, M D., of Nanaimo, aged 10 years and 4 months.

The funeral will take place on Sunday, at 3 p.m., from 42 Cadboro Bay road, to Ross Bay cemetery.

TOD—In Seattle, on the 13th inst., at 112 Blanchard street, Fannie Cecelia, youngest daughter of Jas and Flora Tod, of Cedar Hill, Victoria, aged 18 years.

See **T. BRADBURY** For Monuments.

PERSONAL.

Capt. Clive Philipps-Wolley has returned from Kootenay.

Lieut. the Hon. Victor Stanley, R. N., has arrived from England.

Charles Spring and family are down from Kyuquot and are staying at the Oriental.

J. Lambert Penney returns to the West Coast on the outward sailing of the Tees.

Capt. S. F. Scott, of steamer "West Indian" and Coronel fame, is a guest at the New England.

F. A. Clark, Tacoma; Thos. Hooper and J. S. McDonald of Nootka, are among the arrivals at the Oriental.

W. A. Somerset and Capt. E. S. Morine, San Francisco; Chester Claribone, Seattle; G. W. DeBeck, and F. Timberlake, Vancouver, are at the Driard.

F. J. Wright, Tacoma; C. Bazett, Duncan; James Pender, St. John, N.B. and C. R. Smith, Portland, are among the late arrivals at the New England.

S. Norman, of S. Norman & Co., Spokane, one of the leading and reliable mining brokers of that city, spent yesterday in Victoria and left for home on the Kingston last evening.

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Dr. G. Jaeger's Underwear. At S. Reid's, 122 Government street.

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The "Cornet" camera is a marvel for size and cheapness, does perfect work. G. & W. Barber Bros., Novelties, 111 Yates street.

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What does P.P.P.P. stand for?

ARRESTED FOR SMUGGLING.

A Fireman of the "Rosalie" Made a Prisoner at Seattle.

SEATTLE, Nov. 13.—Jack Meyers, fireman of the steamer Rosalie, was arrested for smuggling last night by Deputy Customs Inspector Loftus. He was taken just as the boat landed from Victoria, B. C. He had eight tins of opium distributed about his person. To the customs inspector who made the arrest, Meyers acknowledged having bought the opium in Victoria at $. a pound. It could be bought here for $8.

COLLISIONS AT SEA.

Preventive Rules Drafted by the International Marine Conference Go Into Effect July 1.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The revised international rules to prevent collisions at sea, drafted by the Washington international conference, will probably go into effect on July 1 next. The officers of the United States treasury have been working earnestly to this end since the adjournment of congress, and Great Britain is co-operating with the United States in securing the assent of the few remaining nations which have not yet accepted the new rules.

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POORMAN AFFAIRS.

A Miner Representative Examines the Books and Finds Ore Accounted for.

(From the Rossland Miner.)

On Thursday evening The Miner received a telegram from John A. Finch in Spokane requesting us to send a representative to the War Eagle mine to examine the books of the company. In accordance with this request a member of The Miner staff made a thorough examination of the books of the War Eagle company, which were placed at our disposal by Charles Robbins. We found from them that the total expenses to date of the Poorman company amounted to $6,977.78, which had all been advanced by the War Eagle company. As credits against this amount we found the following sums, proceeds of shipments of ore:

Where Shipped.	*Pounds. Net Value*	
June 10, U. S. & R. Co., Helena	136,750	$1,150 17
Aug. 4, B. C. S. & R. Co., Trail	94,725	852 04
Sept. 14, B. C. S. & R. Co., Trail	99,052	679 49
Oct. 5, B. C. S. & R. Co., Trail	131,854	691 58
Oct. 25, B. C. S. & R. Co., Trail	93,846	732 00
Total		$4,105 28

This leaves a balance which the Poorman company owed the War Eagle on October 31 of $2,872.50. To be deducted from this, however, are the proceeds of 75,000 pounds of ore now at the smelter on which no returns have yet been received, but which will undoubtedly net in the neighborhood of $600.

The Miner made this investigation of the War Eagle company's books solely because Mr. Finch asked us. What appears elsewhere in this issue regarding the charges against the War Eagle management was printed before we received Mr. Finch's telegram.

A fact brought to light by our investigation is, however, worthy of mention. We could find no charges against the Poorman for any proportion of the salaries of managers, superintendents, or foremen, or for office expenses, fuel, light and other incidentals connected with the office work of the Poorman company. The debits are all for work and labor actually performed in the Poorman mine, or goods and supplies actually consumed by the Poorman company in the development of its property.

An assessment of one cent a share was levied on Poorman stock at a meeting of the board of directors November 1. This is the first assessment levied on this stock, which like all the War Eagle properties is assessable. Hitherto the company has never had a cent of its own, its working capital being loaned to it without interest or other charge by the War Eagle company. The present assessment as evidenced by the above statement will be sufficient to pay off the debts of the company, and leave about $3,000 in its treasury for working capital.

SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

In-Bound Steamships—The Tees Returns—Drum Liners Coming—Wreckage Found.

After an unusually long trip occasioned by the storms of recent days, which made it difficult to land freight at small landings en route, the C.P.N. steamship Tees, Capt. Roberts, returned from the West Coast yesterday morning. Among her passengers were Captains Siewerd, Townsend, Magnesou and Balcom, who had been down the coast paying off their Indian crews. The other passengers by the Tees, exclusive of a number of Chinamen returning from the West Coast canneries, were M. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Hyde, C. Spring, A. Nasser, F. A. Allice, T. Darling, C. F. Scott, Thos. Hooper and Mrs. Hooper, J. S. Macdonald, D. McPhee, J. Davies, W. Costigan, S. Dier, W. Poole and W. Williams.

There were two San Francisco steamers in port last night, when the Mexico and Walla Walla were tied up together. The Mexico made an unusually long trip from San Francisco, not making port until 5 o'clock. She brought for Victoria and Sound cities a total of 23 cabin and 35 steerage passengers and for this city alone almost 100 tons of freight. The Walla Walla's passengers going out were Mrs. Duel, Miss F. Street, Miss C. M. Kitchon, J. Macleod, B. Jenkins, C. Little, Miss Bordenane, and Mrs. Endrigat.

The British ship Drumlaurig will be down from the Fraser this morning to complete her salmon cargo at the outer wharf. Another of the Drum line of ships will be in port early next week. She is the Drumcliff, and like the Drumlaurig is coming here to complete her cargo. She is now in Tacoma.

The Japanese liner Kinshui Maru came over from Seattle yesterday morning and entered dock for a cleaning at 9 o'clock. She will remain on the blocks until about the same hour to-morrow morning when she returns to the Sound and loads her outward cargo.

The steamer City of Kingston will not leave for the Sound to-night until after the production of "Ship Ahoy" by the Grau Opera Company. The members of the company will be among the outward passengers.

The steamer Princess Louise arrived from the Fraser yesterday, having discharged at Steveston a cargo of salmon which she brought down from Rivers Inlet.

The steamship Mount Labanon left for Comox yesterday morning for coal.

ENTERED—Nov. 13.

Str. Charmer	from	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend
" Rosalie	"	" "
" Kinshui Maru	"	Seattle.
" Mount Lebanon	"	Portland.
" Tees	"	West Coast.
Sloop Eagle	"	Dungeness.

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"BOHEMIAN GIRL."

Balfe's Beautiful Opera Presented, With Evident Satisfaction to a Full House, by the Jules Grau Company.

The Jules Grau Opera Co. reopened their pleasant acquaintance with Victoria theatre-goers last evening, opening their too-brief return engagement with Balfe's "Bohemian Girl." That their interpretation of this charming opera, so full of solo and concerted melody, was heartily acceptable was shown by the frequent and spontaneous applause; while the established popularity of the company was evidenced by a crowded house. Of the principals, Miss Johnson, as "Arline," both sang and acted her way to the hearts of her audience—although there was in her case no occasion for the conquest, the heart having been already won. Miss Carle was strong and intense as the Gipsy Queen, investing the part with both dignity and power, and singing the at times difficult music with exceptionally good effect and expression. Mr. Dunbar was a gallant Thaddeus, a true hero of stageland, and sang in even better voice than on his last appearance in this city. The other principals, the chorus and the orchestra, were sufficient to the demands upon them, although without any disparagement of Mr. Routenberg, the regular house orchestra leaves little to be desired in this particular.

This afternoon "Tar and Tartar" is to be produced as a matinee bill, and this evening "Ship Ahoy," not yet heard in Victoria, will hold the boards. Instead of trimming the opera and hurrying away, Mr. Grau intends adding to it, and Miss Johnson will therefore accede to a general request and repeat her pretty song of "Baby"; Miss Carle will do her recitation, "The Lion and the Glove"; Mr. Litt, Eddie Smith and Miss Carle will present the famous trio and dance from Dr. Walt Hopper's "El Capitana"; and the evening will close with the grand finale from the new opera of "Prince Bonnie." The curtain will go up at 8:15 sharp. Tickets for the matinee can be purchased at Jamieson's book store up to 1 o'clock, and after that at the theatre box office. The doors will open at 1:30 and the performance commence at 2:30 o'clock. The matinee prices are: Adults, 50 cents; children, 25 cents.

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Re SLOCAN STORE COMPANY.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to and inclusive of the 4th day of December 1896, for the purchase of the whole or any line of goods forming part of the stock of the Slocan Store Company, consisting of a General Stock of Merchandise, Hardware, Dry Goods, Groceries, etc., etc.

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By-Law

To Enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to Borrow the Sum of One Hundred and Twenty-five Thousand Dollars and issue debentures therefor.

Whereas, a petition, signed by the owners of one-tenth of the value of the real property in the Municipality (as shown by the last revised assessment roll) has been presented to the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria requesting the introduction of a by-law for the purpose of raising a sufficient sum to defray the cost of constructing a substantial stone and steel bridge, at the site of the Point Ellice bridge over the Victoria Arm, a span of which collapsed on 26th May, 1896; and

Whereas in order to construct such work it is necessary to authorize the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow the sum of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, and to issue debentures of the Corporation therefor, and to apply the money thus obtained to the construction of a stone and steel bridge and works connected therewith, from the western termination of Work street, across the waters of Victoria Arm, to connect with the highway to Esquimalt at or near Point Ellice, through Section 119, Esquimalt District;

And whereas it will require the sum of five thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars to be raised annually by rate for the payment of the interest during the currency of the debentures, and to discharge the debt when payable; and

Whereas the amount of the whole ratable land and improvements or real property of the said Corporation of the said City of Victoria according to the last revised assessment roll is $14,541,800.00; and

Whereas it will require an annual rate of 4-100 of one mill in the dollar to be raised and levied to pay the interest and the debt, according to the Municipal Clauses Act, 1896; and

Whereas this By-law shall not be altered or repealed except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

Therefore the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $125,000.00 currency (or sterling money at the rate of 4.86⅔ dollars to the one pound sterling) and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation, for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made, executed and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of $125,000.00, either in currency or sterling money (at the rate of 4.86⅔ dollars to the one pound sterling) as may be required, each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1,000 or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

3. The said debentures shall bear date the 1st day of March, 1897, and shall be made payable in forty-nine years from the said date at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signatures to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped printed or lithographed.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half yearly, at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be expressed in the debenture and coupon.

5. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause the said debentures and the interest coupons, either or both, to be made payable at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or in the Dominion of Canada, as may be desired.

6. For the purpose of raising annually a certain specific sum for the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency, there shall be raised annually the sum of $5,000.00, and for the purpose of raising annually a certain specific sum for the payment of the debt at maturity, there shall be raised annually the sum of $860.00.

7. For the purpose of the payment of the said sums mentioned in the next preceding Section of this By-Law, there shall be raised, and levied in each year, and there is hereby levied, a rate of 4-100 of one mill in the dollar on all the ratable land and improvements or real property in the City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

8. It shall be lawful for the said Municipal Council from time to time to purchase any of the said debentures, and such debentures shall be so expressed as to entitle the said Council to redeem and purchase the same on paying the amount thereof and the interest due thereon at the date of such purchase to the holder or holders thereof at any time after twenty-five years from the date of issuance of the said debentures.

9. This By-Law shall, before the final passage thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for in the "Municipal Clauses Act, 1896," and shall take effect on the 31st day of December, 1896.

10. This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as the "Point Ellice Bridge Loan By-Law, 1896."

Passed the Municipal Council the 12th day of November, 1896.

NOTICE.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at the Public Market Building, Cormorant street, for North Ward; at Burnes' Building, Bastion Square, for Central Ward; and at a building known as No. 21 Government street (east side) for South Ward, on Saturday, the 28th day of November, 1896, and that the polls will be kept open between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

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